THE EVENING NEWS.

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A large bankrupt stock of SHOT GUNS and RIFLES of all kinds for sale at

Jackson's Toy Store

Water street, Benton Harbor, Mich. Remember that I keep all kinds of hunting, fishing and sporting goods on hand and I will not be undersold by any dealer in Southwestern Mich. Winchester Repeating Rifles all sizes at $10, $11 and $14 each. See the old and new models Quackenbush 22's and other Target Guns. One Colts Repeating Rifle second-hand at $7, one Winchester Single Shot Rifle, second-hand, at $6, Spencer Repeating Shot Gun, 8 shot at $17, and I have Double Barrel Breech Loading Shot Guns both 10 and 12 gauge at $7, $9, $11 and 12 each, Single Barrel Breech Loaders, both new and second-hand, at $5, $6 and $7 each, Muzzle Loading Shot Guns at the lowest prices, one Winchester Repeating Shot Gun second-hand at $10. Loaded Paper Shells 10, 12 and 16 gauge, a leader at 35 cents per box; paste that in your hat. A full and complete line of Winchester rifle cartridges at winning prices; 26 different sizes of revolver cartridges: B B, Flobert's and Blanks, Laflin & Rand's shot gun, rifle and blasting powder; smokeless powder for shot guns and rifles, brass shells, loaded and unloaded, buck, common shot and bar lead; reloading tools for rifles and shot guns, shot gun fixtures; cartridge belts and shell bags; hunting coats, vests and hats; canvas game bags and belts for hunters; powder flasks and shot pouches; primers; snipe, turkey and duck call; shot gun shells loaded with smokeless powder; bowie knives and knives for hunters; pasteboard and felt wads; water proof and G.D. gun caps; all kinds of new and second-hand revolvers; my leaders are 32 center fire at $1.50; 38 center fire at $1.75. These guns are of the bull dog pattern, and they are all right and I am selling today the 32 and 38 center fire both blue and nickle 5 and 6 shot rubber handle rifle barrel, fluted cylinder, break down shell ejector, 4½ inch barrel Smith and Wesston pattern for $3 and how is that for a leader on guns? Holsters for revolvers and cases for guns and rifles, dark lanterns for coon hunters and the Morehouse traps for trapers, and compasses, boxing gloves, iron dumbells, Foot balls all kinds and sizes, sling shots, billies and knuckels, dog chains, collars and muzzels.

After Nov 1st I will pay the best market price for all kinds of raw furs and remember that I loan money on all kinds of personal property and that I have

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If you wish glasses fitted accurately, patronize a physician and not a peddler.

TALK OF VIOLENCE.

Republican Marshal Failed to Follow Orders in Leading a Parade Last Night.

SILVER MEETING INTERRUPTED.

Hon. Jefferson Chandler Gave an Eloquent Address and Postmaster Jarvis Spoke.

The slowness to anger of F. E. Hepler saved this city from a disgraceful political riot last evening. The silver men erected a stage in front of Hotel Benton and held an open air meeting where the Hon. Jefferson Chandler addressed an enthusiastic crowd of 600 or 700 people. The republicans also had a meeting in Conkey's hall. They also had a brass band and a torchlight procession. The procession started from the corner of Main and Pipestone. As soon as the band was out of hearing the silver meeting started. When the speaker had reached the meaty part of the 16 to 1 gospel the band came back and so did the torchlight procession. They marched down Water street and the band drowned out the voice of the silver orator. The procession moved on Territorial street and serenaded the old opera house ruins and then marched back through Main street in front of Hotel Benton, the band playing loud and the crowd following shouting for McKinley. This made another break in the silver speech.

It was when the band turned to march past the speaker's stand that the ire of the silver men was aroused. It was then that muscular silver men proposed by brute force to drive back the procession, and it was then that Mr. Hepler staid the tide of indignation and preserved peace.

The interruption on the part of the republicans is considered thoughtless and not malicious. Should such an interruption occur again Mr. Hepler, always a calm and peaceable citizen, says he will lead the silver forces to brute resistance.

Later an enthused young man entered the Bryan crowd and kept tooting a horn. Secretary Chatfield tried the experiment of trying to make leather adhere to cloth by quick concussion. This morning Chatfield took the toes of his boots to a shoemaker and the horn blower is having a new seat sewed into his pantaloons.

Such an occurrence will not happen again. The republicans feel as much put out as anyone. Colonel Ward, the president of the McKinley club, mapped out an altogether different line of march but through some misunderstanding on the part of the marshal the route was not followed.

The Hon. Jefferson Chandler of Missouri is a gentleman and scholar and made a masterly and powerful address. One of his many good arguments was in regard to the continual fluctuation of the Mexican dollar. He explained this from the fact that Mexico had no legal tender law and that the stamp of that government gave silver no fixed value.

At the close of the address the crowd called for Postmaster Jarvis, and he made a telling little speech. He explained that he had not been a partisan under a just construction of the civil service rules; that he had lived before he had received the postoffice and that when he passed over its threshold he would continue to live. The crowd gave him a great ovation and three hundred voices shouted in chorus, "We'll vote for you."

The glee club who sang several selections was composed of the Kneeland brothers, F. E. Hepler, Mr. Bucknam, Charles and Ray Ayers, Mr. Kreager, Mrs. Wentworth, Miss Hansen and Mrs. Rector.

RIPE STRAWBERRIES.

They Were Picked By Otto Wild Yesterday Afternoon.

Otto Wild, a prosperous fruit farmer living about two miles north of this city on the Lake Shore road, brought a quart of luscious ripe strawberries to town yesterday, picked fresh from the vines.

Mr. Wild has been experimenting and thinks he has a strawberry plant that will bear good fruit in September.

The berries are good and sound. They are on exhibitionat C. J. Brown's grocery store.

PINGREE OR BRYAN.

Railroad Companies Said to Favor Bryan as the Lesser Evil.

It has leaked out that the section hands on one of the roads running here were given a free ride to Grand Rapids last week to meet the road masters and general managers of several railroads. The talk was all about mutual benefit until about the time when the meeting broke up when free silver literature was distributed. The men nearly fainted and brought back with them the documents, chief among which was the "Financial Catechism" widely distributed at the Bryan and Sewall headquarters.

Pingree's talk of 2 cent fares may have induced the railroad companies to believe that of the two evils Pingree or Bryan, the latter is the least.

Abraham Lincoln made a good president but Harry L. Bird makes the best pharmaceutical preparations. Have your prescriptions filled there.

WILL HARRISON COME?

He Was Promised If Bryan Came Here.

It is now certain that Benton Harbor is to be honored by a visit from W. J. Bryan.

Some time ago the republican managers in Chicago promised John Trimble of this city that in case Bryan came here the effect of his visit and speech would be offset by a speech from General Harrison. Now, everybody is anxious to hear General Harrison and it is hoped that he will come here. There is no speaker who could draw a larger crowd and no one who could influence more votes.

It would be quite an advertisement for the city to get Bryan and Harrison here in the same campaign.

DATE CHANGED.

Bryan Will Not Be Here Until October 16.

The date for the appearance of William J. Bryan in this city has been changed from October 15 to October 16. The silver men are arranging for a big reception.

BOAT MAY PULL OFF.

Steamer Minnie M. Said To Be Losing Money.

H. D. Deam, vice president of the Benton Harbor Eastern railway and transit company, has issued the following notice to shippers:

The traffic of the steamer Minnie M. has so fallen off recently that it is a serious question of running her much longer, and unless there is sufficient freight to at least pay operating expenses we will consider ourselves free, morally and otherwise, to take her off the route.

It remains with the people to say if they want a competing boat or not. The demoralized Chicago market we know has been a serious barrier, but with better prices now prevailing, that obstacle vanishes, and the people ought to realize their own interests enough to make it possible for the boat to remain, regardless of misrepresentation or shortcomings.

Serious misfortunes have prevented any material progress so far in our railway proposition, but we are not without hope of making some active headway in the near future. At best we will operate the boat at a loss this season, and unless there is an immediate rallying to her aid we will consider our own interests paramount.

Thanking our patrons who have stood by us through ill report as well as good, we are confident that another year we will be found in the field, giving the people the earliest market, with the best of service.

ENTHUSIASM AT THREE OAKS.

Hon. E. L. Hamilton Addressed a Large Meeting.

THREE OAKS, Oct. 6. Hon. E. L. Hamilton spoke here last evening. Niles marching club with band and glee club came down over one hundred strong and all unite in saying that it was the largest political gathering ever held in Three Oaks. The crowd was estimated at 2,000 and we think the estimate was none too high. Breenus' opera house was crowded and an overflow meeting was held in the town hall at which E. A. Blakeslee, of Galien, Representative E. S. Williams of Niles, and others spoke. Nearly all business houses and residences on the line of march were tastefully decorated for the occasion.

New Advertisements.

James Pound announces a cape and jacket opening, Wednesday, Oct. 14.

E. W. Moore & Co. offer bargains in dry goods and groceries.

The Globe Clothiers and Shoers claim to sell more shoes, better shoes and more stylish shoes than any one.

BUTTER DAY.

C. J. Brown Again in Line With Fresh Dairy Butter.

C. J. Brown, the grocer who has a reputation as a first-class butter buyer will give the people a chance to lay in a supply of fine dairy butter, for one day only. On tomorrow he will place on sale several hundred pounds of the best dairy butter at 14 cents a pound. This is not a lot of stale musty stuff but BUTTER got for this especial occasion.

Mr. Brown has decided that he has altogether too many fine lamps of every description and proposes to dispose of his handsome banquet and parlor lamps at less than their actual cost. A glance in his window will show the high character of these goods.

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HE IS A GREAT ORATOR

Hardin W. Davis Pleased a Large and Enthusiastic Audience Last Night.

A RED HOT SOUND MONEY TALK

Grand Parade and Big Demonstrations Before the Speech in Conkey's Hall.

As the campaign draws nearer to a close and election day approaches the eloquent speakers on both sides of the question are brought before the public and the nearer the election the more eloquent is every speaker.

Perhaps one of the best speeches yet made in this city during the campaign was the logical and patriotic address of Hardin W. Davis delivered in Conkey's hall last night in favor of sound and honest money and protection. Mr. Davis is a man of commanding figure with a voice and delivery of speech which makes him an able orator. He has a flow of language which is wonderful and every gesture is perfect.

Before the speech a torchlight procession of several hundred voters formed at republican headquarters and led by Frazell's band marched around the city and back to Conkey's hall where several hundred persons had assembled.

Mr. Davis gave a very convincing talk on the money question and explained to the people why the election of Bryan would bring disaster and ruin to the country. He said it was not more money we wanted, it was the chance to earn it and that with the election of McKinley the idle men would be put back into the mills which were forced to shut down under the policy of the present administration; wages would advance and the country would again be the greatest in the world.

He gave a clever comparison at the close of his speech by saying that when he was a small boy he was sent to mill with wheat, and upon arriving there the mill was silent, not a wheel was turning and the miller was idle. With much wonderment at the state of affairs he went upstairs in the mill and while there the wheels began to turn and everything was noise and bustle. Hastening to a window in the mill he looked out to find the cause of so much confusion and beheld the old miller slowly raising the lever and the water pouring onto the mill wheel. He asked the miller why he was doing that and received the reply that he was letting in the water to run the mill. He asked if the reason the mill was not running was because there was no water, and the miller said, "No, there is plenty of water but it takes wheat to run the mill." "So with our money, there is plenty of it, what we want is the work to get it, and on the morning of November 4 when we look out the window on the dawn of prosperity and behold the old man at the lever we will find when he raises his hat that the miller is Major William McKinley."

Several times during the speech the McKinley and Hobart club of the Benton Harbor college, gave their yell and the audience went wild with applause and those who missed hearing Mr. Davis lost a rare treat.

FAIR PLAIN SCHOOL.

The 3d grade will commence drawing this week.

The scholars raised money by subscription and procured paper for examination and map purposes.

Miss Geer of Benton Harbor visited the intermediate department last week.

We have upon our reading table three papers, viz THE EVENING NEWS, Daily Palladium and the Banner Register.

On account of the death of Mr. Phares' father-in-law, Miss Galvin taught the intermediate room Wednesday forenoon, Miss May Richards from the 9th grade taking her place in the primary.

There will be a shadow social at the hall Saturday evening the proceeds to be used for the purchase of a stove for the hall.

R. W. Baker, optician, 135 Lake ave. 318tf

WATERVLIET.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Martin, of Kalamazoo, have been visiting his brother, I. Martin of this place this week....Bert Ketchum will move into Bert Haskell's tenement house....Charles and George Thompson and William Huddleson contemplate a trip up north this year in the deer region....Henry Pratt has his house nearly completed....Mrs. Sarah Hall is having her house repainted....One of our supposed to be able and well thought of silver men was hooted out of Beeraft's hall last Thursday night during the republican speech, for successively creating a disturbance....Walter DeWitt has his new house nearly enclosed....Cyrus Weaver is gaining slowly....Thomas Carmody commenced to teach the winter term of school in Bainbridge district....Charles Rader, telegraph operator at this place for two years, has been transferred to Coloma where he has taken Agent Righter's place.

Apples Wanted.

Bowerman & Russell are buying choice picked apples at the office of C. Godfrey & Co. north side of canal. Highest market price is being paid. 319tf

PERSONAL.

—Mr. and Mrs. N. Hutt, of Coloma, are in the city today.

—O. E. Fifield returned this morning from Hamilton.

—Charles Shriver left last night for Joliet on a business trip.

—Mrs. B. Steinbeck, of Berrien Springs, is visiting relatives in this city.

—Mrs. Clarence Wilcox of Charlotte is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Warren.

—Herbert Overton left this afternoon for a few days' visit with friends at Eau Claire.

—Miss Bessie Decker returned yesterday from a month's visit with relatives in Chicago.

—Charles Ingham returned to Chicago last night after a pleasant visit with friends here.

—H. D. Poole and Attorney Ellsworth were among the passengers who went to Chicago last night.

—Mrs. Harry Hoyt returned home yesterday after spending a week with relatives and friends at Plainwell.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vandeburg returned yesterday from a visit with Mrs. Vandeburg's parents in Casco.

—Mrs. George Carley has returned home after several weeks in Chicago where she has been caring for a sick daughter.

—H. D. Deam, of the Benton Harbor Eastern, is in the city to remain until Sunday. Mr. Deam is more hopeful than ever that he will soon be able to commence work on his railroad.

Climbers Have Conquered All of the Alps.

Of course the mystery is gone from the Alps—none but climbers knows how completely. Every mountain and point of view of even third rate importance has been ascended, most by many routes. Almost every gap between two peaks has been traversed as a pass. The publications of some dozen mountaineering societies have recorded these countless expeditions in rows of volumes of appalling length. Of late years vigorous attempts have been made to co-ordinate this mass of material in the form of climbers' guides, dealing with particular districts, wherein every peak and pass is dealt with in strict geographical succession and every different route and all the variations of each route are set forth, with references to the volumes in which they have been described at length by their discoverers. Nearly half the Alps has been treated in this manner, but the work has taken ten years, and of course the whole requires periodical revision.—Sir W. M. Conway in Scribner's.

Why They Wear Hats.

History does not tell, so far as we know, how it came about that members of the English parliament wear their hats. The custom has descended from an age when its proceedings were not recorded, but one may suspect that thereby hangs a tale of sturdy and victorious revolt against privilege, such as broke out at Versailles, could it be recovered. Now and again we find antique allusions to the practice. When the commons voted that every one should "uncover or stir or move his hat" when the speaker expressed the thanks of the house for any service done by a member, Lord Falkland "stretched both his arms out and clasped his hands together on the crown of his hat and held it down close to his head, that all might see how odious that flattery was to him."—Pall Mall Gazette.

A Child's Heart.

Among the bizarre articles offered for sale at the Hotel Druot, Paris, was a child's heart immersed in a jar of spirits, and, although 97 years had passed since the organ was placed in its transparent receptacle, every portion of it—the right and left auricle and ventricle, and even a portion of the aortic arch—was in a perfect state of preservation. It was catalogued as the heart of Louis XVII, duke of Normandy, and from the documentary evidence which accompanied it there was little doubt as to its authenticity.—Temple Bar.

SALE STILL IN PROGRESS.

Bargains Continue at the Hotel Allmendinger Sale.

The furniture and furnishings sale of everything in the Hotel Allmendinger will continue all the week. Bedroom suits, tables, chairs, pillows, sheets, and in fact everything needed in a house at your own price. Call before the bargains are gone.

At 118 Pipestone street, in the store formerly occupied by the Model shoe store.

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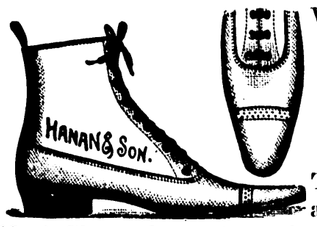

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23 lbs. Granulated Sugar for $1.00.
Armour's Picnic Hams at 7c a lb.
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Armour's Family Lard at 5c a lb.
10 lbs. Rolled Oats for 25c.

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24 Ladies' Beaver Jackets,	at	$3.89
24 Ladies' Beaver, half silk lined Jackets,		5.33
18 Ladies' fine quality Boucle Jackets,	at	6.48
12 Ladies' black and blue Beaver, all silk lined Jackets,	at	6.89
Ladies' Beaver Capes, Cooney trimmed,	at	3.69
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IF lying and misrepresentation will send a man to shoel then a large exodus of people will be booked for that southern climate during the present campaign.

COLONEL Studebaker of South Bend has issued a circular answer to Bryan and the colonel has wasted one on W. C. Hovey of this city. Mr. Hovey is one of the strongest friends of gold in the city. The answer will be printed in THE EVENING NEWS tomorrow.

WHEN Colonel Bradshaw spoke here for the silver men he gave his object lessons in localities too near home. He said that when he spoke at Grand Ledge that 49 members of the G. A. R. post out of a membership of 68 pledged themselves to Bryan. The commander and adjutant of that post have written a letter to the George H. Thomas post of this city, calling the statement a "deliberate lie." The post has 56 members and three of them were on the platform with Bryan. There were also about twenty more soldiers gathered up in the surrounding townships and given places on the platform.

FORESTALLING THIEVES.

Why Thomas A. Edison Patents Everything He Invents.

As Thomas A. Edison watched the pumping of the air from a glass tube in his laboratory a day or two ago, a man said to him:

"You patent every little thing you discover, don't you, Mr. Edison?"

"I do," said Mr. Edison, "and do you know why I do it?"

"I suppose you do it so you will reap the benefit of your discovery," was the reply.

"I thought you'd say that," said Mr. Edison, "and I don't suppose you will believe me when I tell you it isn't so. Nevertheless, I discover a great many things that I would be glad to give to the public for nothing, but I don't dare. I patent these things to save myself from defending lawsuits. There are a lot of sharks in this world who are continually on the lookout for new things, and when one of them hears of something new he hustles to the patent office to see if it is patented. If it isn't, he claims it as an original discovery and files his claim. Then he will turn right around and, like as not, begin a suit with the man who invented the thing for making or using it. The inventor will say: 'But I discovered this thing first. I am the inventor.' He is referred to the patent office, where he finds the official claim of original invention. The fact that the papers are filed long after he made his discovery does not help him, for all the other man does is to hire a fellow to swear that he made the discovery a month or two prior to the date the inventor claims. It sounds ridiculous, probably, but it is a fact that there are often races between the inventors and the sharks to reach the patent office, the sharks having had early information about the inventor's discovery. There are many such races and thousands of dollars depend on each one. What I say is literally true."—New Ideas.

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You Must Have Friends

In Grand Rapids whom you would like to see. The C. & W. M. R'y offers you an opportunity to do so at small expense on October 13th.

It is predicted that the winter will be long and cold. The only thing that will keep you warm will be a Hot Water Bottle. Harry L. Bird keeps them.

Sterling and Brennan's orchestra is prepared to furnish music for all occasions. Balls, parties and socials at reasonable rates. Inquire 101 Oak street, Benton Harbor. tf

Buy all your candies this winter of Harry L. Bird. His candies are as good as his soda water. Bird always keeps the best.

Smoke Simon Sweeper, the best 5 cent cigar in the city.

How long will you trade where you get impure old drugs? Harry L. Bird's drugs are always fresh and pure.

Grand Rapids Week Day Excursion Oct. 13.

Annual low rate autumn excursion via C. & W. M. R'y to enable everybody to enjoy an afternoon in the city, shopping, visiting friends, theatres, etc. Special train will leave Benton Harbor at 8:25 a. m. and arrive at Grand Rapids at noon. Return trains will leave at 6 and 11 p. m. Round trip rate $1. Bicycles and baby cabs free. GEO. DEHAVEN, G. P. A.

LEGEND OF THE CROSS

WOOD DERIVED FROM THE TREE OF LIFE IN THE GARDEN OF EDEN.

A Story of the Death of Adam and the Crucifixion of Christ Which Was Recited In the Middle Ages—How Seth Got a Glimpse of Paradise.

When Adam was banished from paradise, he lived in penitence, endeavoring to expiate the past by prayer and toil. When he reached a great age and felt death approach, he called Seth to him and said: "Go, my son, to the terrestrial paradise and ask the archangel who keeps the gate to give me a balsam which will save me from death. You will easily find the way, because my footprints scorched the soil as I left paradise. Follow my blackened traces and they will conduct you to the gate whence I was expelled."

Seth hastened to paradise. The way was barren, vegetation was scanty and of somber colors. Over all lay the black prints of his father's and mother's feet. Presently the walls surrounding paradise appeared. Around them nature revived, the earth was covered with verdure and dappled with flowers. The air vibrated with beautiful music. Seth was dazzled with the beauty which surrounded him, and he walked on forgetful of his mission. Suddenly there flashed before him a wavering line of fire upright, like a serpent of light continuously quivering. It was the flaming sword in the hand of the cherub who guarded the gate.

As Seth drew nigh he saw that the angel's wings were expanded so as to block the door. He prostrated himself before the cherub, unable to utter a word. But the heavenly being read in his soul, better than a mortal can read a book, the words which were there impressed, and he said:

"The time of pardon is not yet come. Four thousand years must roll away before the Redeemer shall open the gate to Adam, closed by his disobedience. But as a token of future pardon the wood whereon redemption shall be won shall grow from the tomb of thy father. Behold what he lost by his transgression!"

At these words the angel swung open the great portal of gold and fire and Seth looked in.

He beheld a fountain, clear as crystal, sparkling like silver dust, playing in the midst of the garden, and gushing forth in four living streams. Before this mystic fountain grew a mighty tree, with a trunk of vast bulk and thickly branched, but destitute of bark and foliage. Around the bole was wreathed a frightful serpent or caterpillar, which had scorched the bark and devoured the leaves. Beneath the tree was a precipice. Seth beheld the roots of the tree in hell. There Cain was striving to grasp the roots and clamber up them into paradise, but they laced themselves around the body and limbs of the fratricide as the threads of a spider's web entangle a fly, and the fibers of the tree penetrated the body of Cain as though they were endowed with life. Horror struck at this awful sight Seth raised his eyes to the summit of the tree. There all was changed. The tree had grown till its branches reached heaven. The boughs were covered with leaves, flowers and fruit. But the fairest fruit was a little babe, a living sun, who seemed to be listening to the songs of seven white doves who circled about his head. A woman, more lovely than the moon, bore the child in her arms.

Then the cherub closed the door and said: "I give thee now three seeds taken from that tree. When Adam is dead, place these three seeds in thy father's mouth and bury him."

So Seth took the seeds and returned to his father. Adam was glad to hear what his son told him and praised God.

On the third day after the return of Seth he died. Then his son buried him in the skins of beasts which God had given him for a covering, and his sepulcher was on Golgotha. In course of time three trees grew from the seeds brought from paradise. One was a cedar, another a cypress and the third a pine. They grew with marvelous force, thrusting their branches to right and left. It was with one of these boughs that Moses performed his miracles in Egypt, brought water out of the rock and healed those whom the serpents slew in the desert.

In the time of Solomon this was the noblest of the trees of Lebanon. It surpassed all in the forests of King Hiram as a monarch surpasses those who crouch at his feet. Now, when the son of David erected his palace he cut down this tree to convert it into the main pillar supporting his roof. But all in vain. The column refused to answer the purpose. It was at one time too long, at another too short. Surprised at this resistance, Solomon lowered the walls of his palace to suit the beam, but at once it shot up and pierced the roof, like an arrow driven through a piece of canvas or a bird recovering its liberty. Solomon, enraged, cast the tree over Cedron, that all might trample on it as they crossed the brook.

The queen of Sheba found it there and recognizing its virtue had it raised. Solomon then buried it. Some time after the king dug the pool of Bethesda on the spot. This pond at once acquired miraculous properties and healed the sick who flocked to it. The water owed its virtues to the beam which lay beneath it.

When the time of the crucifixion of Christ drew near, this wood rose to the surface and was brought out of the water. The executioners, when seeking a suitable beam to serve for the cross, found it and of it made the instrument of the death of the Saviour. After the crucifixion it was buried on Calvary, but the mother of Constantine the Great, the Empress Helena, found it deep in the ground with two others. Christ's was distinguished from those of the thieves by a sick woman being cured by touching it.—Baring Gould's "Myths of the Middle Ages."

Teaching Them English.

The simple and effective method of teaching English to the children of Italians, Portuguese, Polish and German Jews used in the north end schools of Boston might profitably be adopted by other cities which are obliged to face the fact that within their borders are thousands of foreign children who know nothing of the customs, institutions or language of this country. A writer in the Boston Transcript thus describes the method:

The children, within a few days after their arrival, are sent to the public schools, as a rule without compulsion, and here they are first of all taught the English language. It is done by a system of object lessons. The teachers in the elementary rooms are young women, as men would not be patient enough to accomplish the best results.

The teacher may point to her eye and say, "This is my eye," repeating it several times and requiring the pupils to repeat it in unison. Other portions of the body are pointed out in a similar manner, and then familiar objects in the room are in the same way brought to the attention of the children.

Later, when they have made sufficient progress in the language, it becomes desirable to teach the different tenses. To accomplish this, a boy or girl is directed to run slowly round the room, when the teacher and children say in unison, "That boy is running," repeating the sentence several times. The boy is then told to halt, and the teacher and pupils say in unison, "That boy did run;" again, "That boy is standing still," "That boy can run," "That boy is walking," "That boy walks fast," "I can walk," "I can run," "I did walk," etc.

These and other sentences, as they are spoken, are written on the blackboard by the teacher, and the pupils write them on their slates. Thus they are taught the language and taught to spell, read and write almost simultaneously.

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Mortgage Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made and executed by Wm. H. Colgrove and Jennie, his wife, to Mary E. Hurd, dated Sept. 15, 1892, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Berrien and State of Michigan, on Oct. 10, 1892, in liber 50 of mortgages on page 267.

There is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this notice, on said mortgage and note accompanying the same, the sum of ninety-two and 40-100 dollars, the same being the accrued interest, and no proceedings at law or equity have been instituted to recover said sum nor any part thereof.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and the Statutes in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on the 22nd day of Dec., 1896, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House in the City of St. Joseph, that being the place where the Circuit Court for Berrien county is holden, the premises described in said mortgage, are so much thereof, as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage, with 8 per cent interest thereon, and all legal costs together with the attorney fee covenanted therefor. Said sale will be made subject to the principal sum of seven hundred and fifty dollars and the interest thereon at 8 per cent from Sept 15, 1896, mentioned in and secured by said mortgage. The land so to be sold are described as follows in said mortgage.

Lots four (4) and five (5) in block two (2) in Newland's addition to Benton Harbor, according to the plat thereof, in Benton Harbor, County of Berrien and State of Michigan.

Dated Sept. 10, 1896.

MARY E. HURD, Mortgagee.
A. PLUMMER, Attorney for Mortgagee.

Mortgage Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Eugene L. Guy and Maggie M., his wife, to Amos N. Colby bearing date May 16, 1893, and recorded in the Berrien County Register's office, Michigan, on June 26, 1893, in liber 60 of mortgage on page 119.

On which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of fifty-eight and 15-100, the same being the accrued interest to date and an attorney fee provided for in said mortgage and no proceeding at law or equity have been instituted to recover said sum nor any part thereof.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and the statutes in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 5th day of January, 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the city of St. Joseph, that being the place where the Circuit Court for Berrien County is holden, the premises described in said mortgage or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage with 8 per cent interest, and all legal costs together with an attorney fee covenanted for therein. Said sale will be made subject to the sum of seven hundred dollars, the principal sum secured by said mortgage with interest thereon at 8 per cent from May 16, 1896. The premises so to be sold are described as follows:

Lot eight (8) in McAllister's addition to Benton Harbor, according to the plat thereof, in Benton Harbor, County of Berrien, State of Michigan.

Dated October 8, 1896.

AMOS N. COLBY, Mortgagee.
A. PLUMMER, Attorney for Mortgagee.

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8:30	1:25	11:50	Grand Rapids	1:25	10:30	6:10
11:55	3:50	2:25	Benton H'rbor	10:30	8:00	3:00
12:45	3:57	2:45	St. Joseph	10:20	7:53	2:45
3:00	6:50	6:30	Chicago	7:20	5:00	11:30
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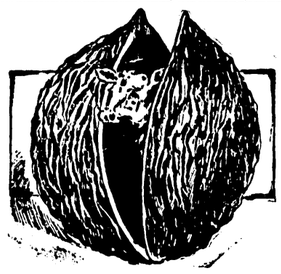

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Rolled Wheat, per pkg	10c	Mince Meat, per package	8c
Quart bottle Bluing	6c	3 lb can best California Peaches	17c
Lemon Extract	6c	Salt Pork	6c
Vanilla Extract	6c	1 lb Smoking Tobacco	12½c
5 gallon Oil Can, filled with oil	$1	Yeast, Magic or Foam	3c
Sal Soda	2c	Good Java and Mocha	30c
3 lbs Starch	10c	Choice Java	28c
1 lb pickles	5c	6 bars Long Brown Soap	25c
1 lb good Finecut Tobacco	20c	Sapolio, per cake	8c
3 lbs good Lard	25c	C Starch	5c
2 bars Soap	5c	Currants, cleaned	8c
12 bars good soap	25c		

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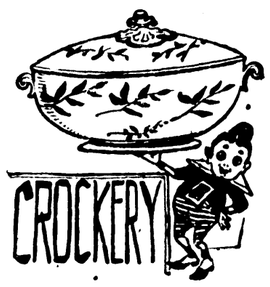

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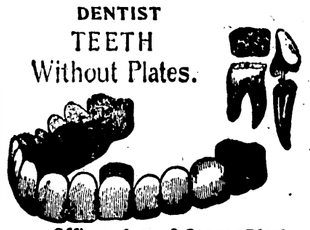

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Misses' Merino Vest and Pants, size 26 to 34, worth 29c, at	20c
Children's heavy Random Vest and Pants, size 16 to 24, worth 20c, at	15c
Misses' heavy Random Vest and Pants, size 26 to 34, worth 35c, at	25c
Misses' and Children's fine all wool Vest and Pants in Scarlet and Camel's Hair in all sizes.	
Boys' Natural Random Shirts and Drawers, size 24 to 34, at	20c
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Ladies' fleece lined Jersey Ribbed Vest and Pants, worth 35c, at	25c
Ladies' fleece lined Jersey Ribbed Vest and Pants, fine Mocha Yarns, worth 50c, at	39c
Ladies' extra heavy fleece lined Jersey Ribbed Vests and Pants, worth 65c, at	49c
Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Union Suits, fleece lined, worth 65c, at	50c
Ladies' Jersey Ribbed fleece lined Union Suits, worth $1.35, at	98c
Ladies' Jersey Ribbed all wool Vest and Pants, worth 85c, at	69c
Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Saxony Wool Vest and Pants, worth $1.25, at	98c
Ladies' fine India Camel's Hair Vest and Pants, worth $1.25, at	98c
Ladies' Lamb's Wool Medicated Vest and Pants, worth $1.25, at	98c
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THEY WERE SMOOTH.

Two Clever Shop-lifters Operate With Success in Church's Dry Goods Store.

GET AWAY WITH $40 WORTH.

They Visited Every Dry Goods Store in the City but Found Only One Opportunity.

On Wednesday, every dry goods store in the city was visited by a pair of clever shoplifters. The exact amount of goods that they succeeded in getting away with is not known. No one has missed anything of very great value excepting W. B. Church. There they made a raise of $40 worth of goods to Mr. Church's knowledge and perhaps some more that has not yet been missed.

Mr. Church first noticed the two women in the store Wednesday morning when their evident business was to size up the goods and make their plans for taking a portion of the same. They made a few minor purchases and went out. They did not return until 5 p. m., while Mr. Church was at supper and the store was in charge of two clerks. One of the women asked to see something that would take the lady clerk in attendance way to the back end of the store. The woman kept the clerk engaged in conversation for some time and then walked back to the front part of the store, The woman's partner had plenty of time to secure the goods and start out of the door. Nothing wrong was suspected by the clerks and the two women departed unmolested.

The loss of the goods was not discovered until later in the evening when a lady came in to get some dress goods that she had selected the day before. Mr. Church went immediately to the pile of dress goods but was unable to find that particular pattern that his customer wished. The store was carefully searched but no trace of it was found. In looking over the pile of dress goods, Mr. Church found that there were also two other bolts missing, one of them the very finest piece of Mohair goods in the store. The value of the three bolts of dress goods was about $40. That is what they cost Mr. Church. The amount of other goods that might have been taken is not known.

Mr. Church and both clerks could identify both women perfectly as they were not of ordinary appearance. They were both large stout women and both wore long capes, behind which they would have been able to conceal a large amount of goods with perfect ease. It is easy to see how they made away with the three bolts of dress goods without discovery as they were undoubtedly professionals at their business and knew how to avoid detection.

Sheriff Whitcomb has the matter in charge but as yet has not succeeded in locating the women. The matter was suppressed by this paper yesterday upon special request of Mr. Church who then hoped that the thieves might be located.

A LARGE CROWD.

Went to Chicago to Attend the Celebration Today.

A large crowd of Twin City republicans went to Chicago Day McKinley celebration. About 250 men from the Twin Cities including the drum corps and railroad men took passage on the City of Milwaukee last night and will participate in the big parade. They took with them a large banner which read: "Michigan's Twin Cities—St. Joseph and Benton Harbor. Solid for McKinley and Hobart." The local clubs have been given a position in the procession with McKinley club No. 1, of Chicago.

Ladies' McKinley Club.

The ladies' McKinley club, of Buchanan, has 70 members. They are enthusiastic and enter into politics with greater vim than their sturdier husbands and brothers. The officers of the club are: President, Mrs. Dow; vice president, Miss Sarah Farmer; secretary, Miss Georgie Wilcox; treasurer, Miss Daisy Emery; captain, Miss Ada Kingery; first lieutenant, Miss Ada Rough; second lieutenant, Miss Kit Kingery.

Real Estate Transfers.

W. H. Rusch to Wm. J. Momany property in Pipestone township. $800.

August Morelock to Thomas and Mary J. Marsh property in Coloma. $600.

Mary E. Matthews to Frank Edward Gove property in Buchanan. $3,750.

Theodore Vielehr to Frederick Vielehr 40 acres in Hagar township. $1.

Frederick Vielehr to Theodore Vielehr 18 acres in Watervleit township. $1.

Marriage Licenses.

J. Edward Ross, 23, Bainbridge; Maud R. Morrison, 20, same.

All the candidates should run on a Pro Patria platform. It is a winner—the cigar made by Geo. Moebs & Co., Detroit, and sold by all dealers.

Baths at Home.

The sick and well are cordially invited to see and use the Robinson's Thermal bath cabinet. No other bath needed. Can be used in any room at a cost of 5 cents per bath. I have references from good people. Gout and rheumatism positively cured. Louis C. Mudge, 264 Britain avenue. 316tf

Tooth brushes and tooth powder. Buy them of Bird, the Druggist.

AFTER MANY MOONS.

The Board of Public Works Will Hold a Meeting.

The board of public works will meet in its chamber in the city hall this afternoon at 4 o'clock. This will be the first meeting of that body since last spring.

ALARMING.

Is ths Spread of Scarlet Fever and Diphtheria at Niles.

Niles Daily Star,

Just now our board of health and all physicians are taking every precaution against the spread of scarlet fever, diphtheria and other dangerous diseases which are prevalent, yet undue carelessness, and criminal negligence on the part of family members who have in charge some patients, is shameful and is summed up that way because of the fact that on different well-known occasions, diseased children have been allowed to run out of doors, causing a spread of the disease, and contrary to the advice of attending physicians. A business man called at the Star office today and said that two children came into his store this morning that had scarlet fever. Dr. W. T. Dougan was perplexed at this state of affairs and intereded that an estoppel may be put to such recklessness. Dr. Dougan has writen more than one to the prosecuting attorney in regard to the carelessness that is practiced, and no answer has been received. Signs that were posted on some of the houses have been torn down in violation of the law, and it is time to act, so that all citizens may be protected. The present situation is alarming and it behooves all to act promptly.

COUNTERFEITERS.

Their Products Palmed Off on the Street Car Conductors.

The conductors on the St. Joseph & Benton Harbor street car line are eying closely every nickle tendered them these days. Lately they have been taken in by bogus five-cent pieces and their salaries have suffered considerably as a result, it being required of them that they replace the counterfeit coins with the genuine when they report to the company.

The counterfeit nickles appear with such remarkable regularity that the street car men are inclined to the belief that they are manufactured in this vicinity. The coins are a rude reproduction of the genuine and can easily be detected. They are much lighter in weight and all bear the date of 1895. The metal entering into their composition is soft and offers but slight resistence to the keen edge of a knife.

ODDS AND ENDS.

"Bill" Murray, the popular Vandalia conductor is lightening on politics. He is a republican and don't care who knows it. Many a tilt has he had with Hon. Jim O'Hara and never fails to hold his own.

"Bill" had a crowd around him in the cigar store the other day when he said, "Although you may not believe it, I once read in the book of Isaiah how the 'lion and the lamb shall lie down together and a little child shall lead them.' Now I never thought that it would come to pass in just that way and I somehow thought that Isaiah has missed his guess. But I have since learned that Isaiah knew what he was talking about. To think that after all these ages it should come to pass. When I came up to St. Joe on the last trip and found Jim O'Hara, a pronounced Roman catholic and John Starr, the ring-leader of the A. P. A.'s in the same bed, I said to myself. 'Isaiah you were a smart man, the millenium has indeed arrived.'"

FOR FIVE YEARS

Mr. and Mrs. Prater Have Not Spoken to Each Other.

NILES, Oct. 9.—Wyatt Prater sues for a divorce from his wife who, he charges, used a rawhide upon him. The couple for five years have not spoken to each other. Mrs. Prater brings counter charges against Prater.

Hopeless.

The young man who was sitting straight up on his wheel drew alongside a man who was riding with a hump on his back.

"Roads are fine this morning," he observed.

"I've seen better," briefly answered the other.

"Of course. But I mean they are good considering that it rained day before yesterday."

"H'mph!"

"Ever try one of these pneumatic saddles?"

"One of whose pneumatic saddles?"

"Anybody's."

"No."

"What do you think is the proper gear for a 22 pound roadster machine?"

"Haven't any idea."

"That's a mighty fine wheel you're riding, anyhow."

"On the contrary, it's the poorest machine I ever saw. I'm going to trade it off and get a better one."

The young man gave it up and fell back.—Chicago Tribune.

A Mild Request.

Fair patient—Is there no way of telling exactly what is the matter with me?

Dr. Emdee—Only a post mortem examination would reveal that.

Fair Patient—Then, for heaven's sake, make one. I don't see why I should be squeamish at such a time as this.—Pick Me Up.

LOVE WAS VICTORIOUS

An Escanaba Couple Baffled Their Relatives and Were Married.

WAS A ROMANTIC WEDDING.

Groom Dressed in Female Attire and With the Help of Friends Eloped With His Sweetheart.

ESCANABA, Oct. 9.—Samuel Eby and Helen Powers loved each other madly, and everything would have been perfectly lovely if the bride's parents had not given the romance a cold October frost. One night last week Sam had everything ready for an elopement to Marinette, but the train was late, and two brawny uncles, after a fierce fight, succeeded in taking both home to mamma and papa. But Sam wasn't baffled even then. He enlisted the help of several friends on bicycles, who led the uncles many wild goose chases till the young lady could escape from the house. Meanwhile Eby had donned female attire and, without detection, drove the young lady to Marinette, where the couple were married. Eby is a young man of excellent habits.

Many Bridges Destroyed.

ONTONAGON, Oct. 9.—Forest fires have been raging fiercer than ever before. There has been no rain in over three weeks. Toward Rockland the road is impassible. Much farm property has been destroyed. All the bridges over Union river are burned, also the Iron river bridge, and nearly all of the 20 bridges between Camp Union and Ontonagon.

Work of Vandals.

ST. JOHNS, Oct. 9.—Burglars last evening broke into the residence of R. M. Steel, the embarrassed capitalist, and stole two valuable gold watches and two overcoats belonging to Mr. Steel and his son, George A. Steel. They also spit tobacco juice over the carpets and furniture.

They Are Doomed.

MT. CLEMENS, Oct. 9.—The time-honored church social is doomed, at least in the M. E. church of this city. Rev. G. N. Kennedy has prevailed upon the church to discontinue all social entertainments and shows held for the purpose of raising parish funds.

Big Elk Park.

PONTIAC, Oct. 9.—Some months ago Joshua Hill purchased 300 acres of land three miles from here, surrounded the entire tract with a woven wire fence eight feet high and stocked it with 17 young elks imported from Wyoming at a cost of $100 each. The herd has increased to 28 head, and the owner is so encouraged that he is looking for some buffalo and bears.

Runaway Girls.

ANN ARBOR, Oct. 9.—An Adrian widow came here after her 17-year-old daughter, and took her home. It transpires that the girl and a companion came here on the invitation of two students, who kept them at a hotel under fictitious names. The students paid all expenses.

Constipation

Causes fully half the sickness in the world. It retains the digested food too long in the bowels and produces biliousness, torpid liver, indigestion, bad taste, coated tongue, sick headache, insomnia, etc. Hood's Pills cure constipation and all its results, easily and thoroughly. 25c. All druggists. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Hood's Pills

Prof. Lacy's School For Dancing.

Conkey's hall, class next Wednesday evening, October 14, at 8 o'clock. After above date class will be held every Tuesday evening. Those wishing to make arrangements for lessons would be pleased to have them do so before class opens. 317tf

Cider made from sound apples 5c per gal. Custom work solicited. We grind every day. Corner of Fair and Britain avenues, near old fair grounds. Ben. R Eastman. 311t9

Yesterday the steamer City of Chicago came in laden with a fresh supply of candies for Harry L. Bird. He always keeps his line of chocolates absolutely fresh. Harry L. Bird always keeps the best.

Do you believe it? Yes I do. That Hollis & Son, the jewelers, are selling a gent's 20 year warranted Boss Gold filled hunting case and a fine 15 jewel Elgin movements for $18.50. Ladie's size same as above $15.25. All other goods at same reduced rates. We are bound to lead, let others follow. A ticket with every purchase on an 8 tune music box. Fine watch works a specialty. All work warranted. 312t26

Wanted.

Customers for corn, corn fodder, potatoes and apples. If you want good potatoes or apples for winter use put in your cellar at hard time prices, we've got 'em. Will sell our corn in the ear or shock. Inquire or leave your orders at the office, West Michigan Nurseries, 155 Pipestone street or O. C. Howe, Eau Claire. 316tf

Butterfly Social.

The Ladies Aid society of the Universalist church will give a "Butterfly" social at the residence of Mrs. F. J. Soule, 115 Heck Court, near Pipestone street, Friday evening, October 9. The public invited. 314t5

It may do to buy shoddy clothes, shoddy shoes, and cheap groceries, but when it comes to drugs don't sacrifice quality to price but go to Bird's and get a pure article.

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G. M. VALENTINE, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW and Solicitor in Chancery. Bowman building.

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PIONEER COMMANDERY, NO. 538, UNITED Order of the Golden Cross. Meetings the first and third Tuesday evening of every month in Woodman hall, visiting members welcome.
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WANTED—ONE GOOD TEAM, HARNESS and wagon. Inquire at 118 Vineyard avenue. 31806

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FOR RENT—THE BUILDING ON MICHIgan street, now occupied by the S. E. Burnham Bicycle Co. Inquire of Mrs. J. A. Graham. 317tf

FOR RENT—FOUR OFFICE ROOMS OVER Sheffield's drug store after Oct. 5. Inquire at the store. 304tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—LARGE 17 ROOM modern house, corner Second and Miller streets, for sale on easy terms or will rent to the right people. S. M. AUSTIN. 281tf

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Harry L. Bird says that he has all the best cooks in the two cities using his Extract of Vanilla and he knows what he is talking about. Bird's preparations are always right.

LOCAL SHRITTER.

THE city council will meet next Monday night.

LAST year at this time there was good bathing at St. Joseph.

TOMORROW THE EVENING NEWS will be enlarged to its usual size.

THE case of Brunson vs Berry is being heard before Circuit Court Commissioner Kennedy this afternoon.

THE Niles Star makes fun of the idea that Chester Aldrich proposes to have Editor Cook arrested for criminal libel.

THE Order of Patricians will hold a meeting this evening in the Modern Woodmen hall. All members are requested to be present.

GEORGE Anderson, the hardware man, sold one of his "Wonder" stoves to a resident of Baroda today. His customer saw his ad in the NEWS.

FRANK Lyle, the leading democrat of Dowagiac, has organized a democratic sound money club and he gets a good roasting from the local democratic paper for doing it.

ALL members of the Womans' Republican club will meet in the council chamber of the city hall on Saturday afternoon, Come and bring a friend. Music by the ladies' quartette.

THERE will be a meeting of the Primary Union tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Baptist church. All persons interested in primary work are most earnestly invited.

MR. Frazell, the leader and instructor of the new military band organized here, which, by the way, is a credit to a city five times as large as this, will play a clarinet solo in the Universalist church next Sunday morning.

MRS. E. W. Snodgrass is enlarging life sized crayon portraits of John Hoffman and William Mitten, who lost their lives in the opera house fire. The Morton Hose company are having them made to hang in their hose house.

THE Benton Harbor Epworth league will give a reception to Rev. W. P. French at the M. E. church this evening. The reception will be followed by a program rendered by members of the Twin City league assisted by the Misses Graves and George.

ALDERMAN Ferguson and Alderman McDonald are very much alarmed at the condition affairs are coming to. Ferguson is afraid that after November 3 he will have to keep his worthy brother alderman in a cell in the county jail while waiting for room in the insane asylum at Kalamazoo, while McDonald is figuring how he can charge Ferguson a commission on his sheriffs' salary when he gets to be county treasurer and has to pay him off every month.

TUNE OF "NELLIE GRAY."

An Eau Claire Woman Writes a Campaign Song.

Mrs. Estella N. Tustison, wife of a republican soldier in Eau Claire who will vote for Bryan, has written the following campaign song to the tune of "Nellie Gray," and the same was sung at a free silver meeting in that village this week:

There's a little man, McKinley, and he's talking
loud and long,
And blowing his tin whistle with his might.
The tariff and protection is his story and his
song,
But he leaves the money question out of sight.

CHORUS.

Then, oh! my charming Bill, talk of tariff if you
will,
But one thing you'd better learn while yet you
may.
That tariff and protection isn't "in it" this campaign.
Our money is the issue of the day.

In ninety-two he told us money would be scarce
and dear
If silver's money power was destroyed;
But now he's changed his tactics, and he talks
the other way;
But thinking men are not to be decoyed.

He talks of national honor and gives lots of
cant.
And quotes to us what other nations do;
But we'll show our independence when it comes
the time to vote,
And we'll stand for home and land both firm
and true.

Then hurrah for Bryan and silver. We've home
interests in view.
And from England's yoke we ever will be free.
America for Americans shall be our watchword
true,
And 'twill help our cause along to victory.

A Slight Difference.

"As I understand it, doctor, if I believe I'm well, I'll be well. Is that the idea?"

"It is."

"Then, if you believe you're paid, I suppose you'll be paid."

"Not necessarily."

"But why shouldn't faith work as well in one case as in the other?"

"Well, you see, there is considerable difference between having faith in the Almighty and having faith in you."—Chicago Post.

A Bold Front.

Guest (in a loud voice)—I want the best room in the house—

Hotel Clerk—Yes, sir. Front!

Guest (continuing, sotto voce)—That you can let me have for $1 a day. Some of my customers are standing near, and I've got to keep up appearances, you know.—Philadelphia North American.

To make croutons, or fried bread, for soups cut bread into slices a quarter of an inch thick, remove the crust and cut the bread into cubes and fry them in smoking hot melted butter until they are crisp and golden brown in color.

HEADACHES CURED. Tecumseh, Mich., Sept. 27: 1896.—I have taken three bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla for sick headaches and have not had a headache since that time. Before taking Hood's Sarsaparilla I was troubled with indigestion, but it has helped this trouble also. My husband has taken it for kidney trouble and loss of appetite and it has done him good, and we both think very highly of Hood's Sarsaparilla." Mrs. Lewis Emerson.

Hood's Pills cure all liver ills.

"Now good digestion wait on appetite, and health on both." Use Washburns Gold Medal flour—all good grocers sell it 156tf

Who will be the lucky one to guess the number on the baby puzzle at Foundstone's. 312tf

They Were an Immoral Lot, but Had Few Other Good Qualities.

Prince Lucien Bonaparte was the best of the four sons of Lucien I. The others made the states of the church too hot to hold them. All had impetuous, masterful tempers and literary and archæological tastes. In different ways each contrived to bleed the late emperor of money. They were brought up at Muignano among the Etrurian remains which their father disenterred during more than 20 years, to the enrichment of most of the great museums of Europe.

Pierre and Antoine lived like banditti, carrying off women and shooting the men who went to stop or came to arrest them. Pierre fired his final shot at Victor Noir, at Auteuil, and killed him. The eldest, whom I remember as Prince of Musignano, was married to a daughter of his uncle Joseph. He revolted against the pope, was president of the Roman constituent, and such a violent domestic tyrant that his wife ran away to Paris to supplicate the emperor to protect her and her son—the future cardinal.

The Prince of Musignano met this by threatening to publish certain papers of the first Lucien proving over and over again the dishonor of Josephine and Hortense. Louis Napoleon bought these documents at his cousin's price. The death of the wife, Zenaide, put an end to the feud. The late Prince Lucien, who obtained a civil list pension of £250 a year—about the fourth of the entire fund—figured in Paris during the second republic as an ultra Liberal. He played this card until he got a large sum of money and a senatorship. This post was honorary, as he had to live out of France.

Antoine, the youngest of the four brothers, led a charmed life. His life was spared by the pope at the supplication of Lady Dudley Stuart and her mother. The papal government banished him, and he went to Greece, where he got into another serious scrape. In New York he had the narrowest escape of being lynched for forgetting that he was not at Musignano. Thence he went to Mexico and Panama, with a scheme in his head that he and Louis had talked over at Bordentown for making an interoceanic canal. He laid the egg at Columbia (?) which his cousin Lucien Wyse and De Lesseps hatched 15 years ago. Thus, had the man sent to arrest Antoine shot, instead of being shot by, him, the Panama bubble would not have been inflated in our time.—Paris Letter in London Truth.

Three Flyers for the balance of the week, No. 16 and No. 22 all Silk Satin and Gross Grain Ribbons at 15c.; No. 9 and No. 12 at 10c.; No. 5 and No. 7 at 5c. at the Chicago Bargain store.

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NATIONAL TICKET.

WILLIAM J. BRYAN, of Nebraska, for President.
ARTHUR SEWALL, of Maine, for Vice President.

STATE TICKET.

For Governor—Charles R. Sligh, of Grand Rapids.
For Lieutenant Governor—Justin R. Whiting, of St. Clair.
For Secretary of State—(To be selected later.)
For State Treasurer—Otto K. Karste, of Ironwood.
For Auditor General—Arthur E. Cole, of Fowlerville.
For Commissioner of State Land Office—Martin G. Loennecker, of Jackson.
For Superintendent of Public Instruction—David E. Hoskins, of Hillsdale.
For Member of State Board of Education—Franklin S. Dewey, of Alpena.
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CONGRESSIONAL.

For Representative to Congress, Fourth District—R. I. Jarvis, of Benton Harbor.

LEGISLATIVE.

For Senator, Seventh District—Wm. A. Baker, Coloma.
Legislature—First District, Berrien county—John V. Starr, St. Joseph.

COUNTY TICKET.

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Sheriff—Alexander Halliday.
Clerk—George Henry Murdoch, Jr.
Treasurer—James McDonald.
Register—John Dwan.
Prosecuting Attorney—Theodore G. Beaver.
Circuit Court Commissioner—David Bacon.
Circuit Court Commissioner—Wm. C. Hicks.
Surveyor—Albert Lookout Drew.
Coroner—Henry C. Beswick.
Coroner—Theodore N. Perry.

MEETINGS

JUDGE J. W. KERR, of Colorado:

Allegan,	Evening, Oct. 9
Hastings,	Evening, Oct. 10
Plainwell,	Evening, Oct. 12

COL. J. H. ROBERTS, of Illinois:—Berrien Springs, evening, Oct. 12; Buchanan, evening, Oct. 13; Watervliet, evening, Oct. 14.

HON. JOHN STARR:

Riverside,	Evening, Oct. 10	Bainbridge Center,	Evening, Oct. 12.

R. I. JARVIS—Candidate for Congress, will speak as follows:

White Pigeon,	Afternoon, Oct. 9
Centreville,	Evening, Oct. 9
Middleville,	Evening, Oct. 10
Watervliet,	Evening, Oct. 17

E. E. JARVIS:

Cedar Creek,	Afternoon, Oct. 9	Hickory Corners,	Evening, Oct. 9
		Arden,	Afternoon, Oct. 10
		St. Joseph Township Hall, Evening Oct. 10.	
		Eau Claire,	Afternoon, Oct. 13

BARBECUE AT NILES

There will be a grand barbecue at Niles on the afternoon of October 13, when a roast ox will be served and a general rally day of the county will be held. Hon. T. H. Patterson, an eloquent Nebraska orator, will speak.

Mr. Patterson will speak at Conkey's hall, Benton Harbor, the evening of the same day.

WE LEAD THEM ALL

The Studebaker Carriages and Wagons.

Finest and most complete stock in the county

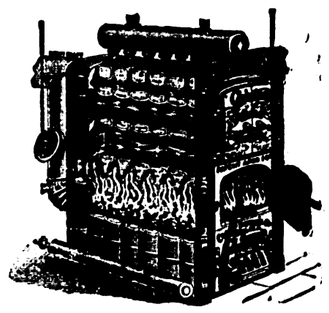
Hand - Made - Harness.

FINE HARNESS REPAIRING

FARM WAGONS, BUGGIES, Etc.

W. C. HOVEY,

155-157 Pipestone St. BENTON HARBOR, MICH.



..Why Not

Be comfortable this winter and heat your homes with a

...Carton Boiler

One-third less fuel, for either steam or hot weather. We sell them and can save you money. Largest line of Plumbing Goods in the city. Come in and see us.

B. L. HALL

126 Pipestone Street..

To Those Who Eat..

Your Appetite can be Satisfied if you buy your GROCERIES at the

Cash Grocery

..HALL & ABBOTT

115 West Main St.
Benton Harbor, Mich ..

You Must Keep Warm..

Heating Stoves in all shapes and sizes were never so cheap as now.

WENTWORTH..

The Hardware Man

Can show the largest variety of

...Coal Stoves

In the city at prices that can't be beat. Get our prices and see if we are not right.

D. A. WENTWORTH

Pipestone Street.

Gold Medal..

America's Greatest Family Flour

Sensible Girls, Careful Wives and all Good Housekeepers when ordering Flour always ask for

..Gold Medal

Ask your Grocer for it.

Get in on the Ground Floor..

Merchants nowadays in order to make business a success should heed the above advice, not by moving to a new location, although that is an important inducement to the purchaser, but it refers particularly to judicious advertising attractively displayed. THE EVENING NEWS—with its army of readers—is undoubtedly the best medium in Benton Harbor and vicinity to reach the consumer. Its circulation is double that of any daily paper in this congressional district. A word to the wise is sufficient

ENTERPRISE MERCANTILE COMPANY

(Successors to F. G. Warren) Hansen Block, 116 East Main street, Benton Harbor.

The Bargain Store for Dry Goods and Millinery

Oh! How Beautiful! Such is the expression of the ladies over our new and extensive line of Fall Dress Goods, and the extremely low prices brings them within the reach of all. We are confident that a visit to our store will aid you in your fall selections. We are always pleased to show goods.

Gloves, Hosiery, Underwear, Corsets.

We are showing the most extensive line of

Jackets and Capes

in the city. It is a pleasure to show such well-made and stylish garments and the prices takes them every time.

Special Underwear Sale, Saturday, Oct. 10

A Big Drive in Ladies' Underwear. Don't miss this sale. Just think, a first-class Garment, only 15c. One day only

Our Millinery Department

Is showing newest things in Hats, Bonnets, Ribbons, Feathers and Trimmings

THE EVENING NEWS.

SECOND YEAR—NO. 319. BENTON HARBOR, MICH., FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1896. ONE CENT.

A large bankrupt stock of SHOT GUNS and RIFLES of all kinds for sale at

Jackson's Toy Store

Water street, Benton Harbor, Mich. Remember that I keep all kinds of hunting, fishing and sporting goods on hand and I will not be undersold by any dealer in Southwestern Mich. Winchester Repeating Rifles all sizes at $10, $11 and $14 each. See the old and new models Quackenbush 22's and other Target Guns. One Colts Repeating Rifle second-hand at $7, one Winchester Single Shot Rifle, second-hand, at $6, Spencer Repeating Shot Gun, 8 shot at $17, and I have Double Barrel Breech Loading Shot Guns both 10 and 12 gauge at $7, $9, $11 and 12 each, Single Barrel Breech Loaders, both new and second-hand, at $5, $6 and $7 each, Muzzle Loading Shot Guns at the lowest prices, one Winchester Repeating Shot Gun second-hand at $10. Loaded Paper Shells 10, 12 and 16 gauge, a leader at 35 cents per box; paste that in your hat. A full and complete line of Winchester rifle cartridges at winning prices; 26 different sizes of revolver cartridges: B B, Flobert's and Blanks, Lallin & Rand's shot gun, rifle and blasting powder; smokeless powder for shot guns and rifles, brass shells, loaded and unloaded, buck, common shot and bar lead; reloading tools for rifles and shot guns, shot gun fixtures; cartridge belts and shell bags; hunting coats, vests and hats; canvas game bags and belts for hunters; powder flasks and shot pouches; primers; snipe, turkey and duck calls; shot gun shells loaded with smokeless powder; bowie knives and knives for hunters; pasteboard and felt wads; water proof and G.D. gun caps; all kinds of new and second-hand revolvers; my leaders are 32 center fire at $1.50; 38 center fire at $1.75. These guns are of the bull dog pattern, and they are all right and I am selling today the 32 and 38 center fire both blue and nickle 5 and 6 shot rubber handle rifle barrel, fluted cylinder, break down shell ejector, 4½ inch barrel Smith and Wesston pattern for $3 and how is that for a leader on guns? Holsters for revolvers and cases for guns and rifles, dark lanterns for coon hunters and the Morehouse traps for trappers, and compasses, boxing gloves, iron dumbells. Foot balls all kinds and sizes, sling shots, billies and knuckels, dog chains, collars and muzzels.

After Nov 1st I will pay the best market price for all kinds of raw furs and remember that I loan money on all kinds of personal property and that I have

A large grain sack full of unredeemed WATCHES of all kinds..

62 solid gold rings. Banjos, guitars and violins at one-third first cost. Trading men look over my watch stock *I can always stock you up on bargains.* I have dealt in fishing, hunting and sporting goods for 19 years in Benton Harbor. I buy cheaper than any other dealer and I will not be undersold.

CHARLES A. JACKSON

Dealer in Almost Everything.....

Ice . Cream . Soda

All This Week

At J. J. Fabry's

110 Water Street.

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From New York

.AT COST.

Have you noticed the

..New Meat Market

126 Territorial St.

Please give me a call and see the finest and cleanest market in this city. Good fresh cuts of all kinds of meat. Prices right. If you have Cattle, Hogs, Sheep or Poultry for sale, see me.

J. F. WILLITTS

The Clean Meat Man..

E. L. Antisdale, M.D.

EYE, EAR, NOSE AND THROAT.

GLASSES FITTED

HOURS, 9 TO 12, 2 TO 5 SUNDAYS, 12 TO 1 JONES & SONNER BLOCK BENTON HARBOR

If you wish glasses fitted accurately, patronize a physician and not a peddler.

TALK OF VIOLENCE.

Republican Marshal Failed to Follow Orders in Leading a Parade Last Night.

SILVER MEETING INTERRUPTED.

Hon. Jefferson Chandler Gave an Eloquent Address and Postmaster Jarvis Spoke.

The slowness to anger of F. E. Hepler saved this city from a disgraceful political riot last evening. The silver men erected a stage in front of Hotel Benton and held an open air meeting where the Hon. Jefferson Chandler addressed an enthusiastic crowd of 600 or 700 people. The republicans also had a meeting in Conkey's hall. They also had a brass band and a torchlight procession. The procession started from the corner of Main and Pipestone. As soon as the band was out of hearing the silver meeting started. When the speaker had reached the meaty part of the 16 to 1 gospel the band came back and so did the torchlight procession. They marched down Water street and the band drowned out the voice of the silver orator. The procession moved on Territorial street and serenaded the old opera house ruins and then marched back through Main street in front of Hotel Benton, the band playing loud and the crowd following shouting for McKinley. This made another break in the silver speech.

It was when the band turned to march past the speaker's stand that the ire of the silver men was aroused. It was then that muscular silver men proposed by brute force to drive back the procession, and it was then that Mr. Hepler staid the tide of indignation and preserved peace.

The interruption on the part of the republicans is considered thoughtless and not malicious. Should such an interruption occur again Mr. Hepler, always a calm and peaceable citizen, says he will lead the silver forces to brute resistance.

Later an enthused young man entered the Bryan crowd and kept tooting a horn. Secretary Chatfield tried the experiment of trying to make leather adhere to cloth by quick concussion. This morning Chatfield took the toes of his boots to a shoemaker and the horn blower is having a new seat sewed into his pantaloons.

Such an occurrence will not happen again. The republicans feel as much put out as anyone. Colonel Ward, the *president of the McKinley club, mapped* out an altogether different line of march but through some misunderstanding on the part of the marshal the route was not followed.

The Hon. Jefferson Chandler of Missouri is a gentleman and scholar and made a masterly and powerful address. One of his many good arguments was in regard to the continual fluctuation of the Mexican dollar. He explained this from the fact that Mexico had no legal tender law and that the stamp of that government gave silver no fixed value.

At the close of the address the crowd called for Postmaster Jarvis, and he made a telling little speech. He explained that he had not been a partisan under a just construction of the civil service rules; that he had lived before he had received the postoffice and that when he passed over its threshold he would continue to live. The crowd gave him a great ovation and three hundred voices shouted in chorus, "We'll vote for you."

The glee club who sang several selections was composed of the Kneeland brothers, F. E. Hepler, Mr. Buckman, Charles and Ray Ayers, Mr. Kreager, Mrs. Wentworth, Miss Hansen and Mrs. Rector.

RIPE STRAWBERRIES.

They Were Picked By Otto Wild Yesterday Afternoon.

Otto Wild, a prosperous fruit farmer living about two miles north of this city on the Lake Shore road, brought a quart of luscious ripe strawberries to town yesterday, picked fresh from the vines.

Mr. Wild has been experimenting and thinks he has a strawberry plant that will bear good fruit in September.

The berries are good and sound. They are on exhibitionat C. J. Brown's grocery store.

PINGREE OR BRYAN.

Railroad Companies Said to Favor Bryan as the Lesser Evil.

It has leaked out that the section hands on one of the roads running here were given a free ride to Grand Rapids last week to meet the road masters and general managers of several railroads. The talk was all about mutual benefit until about the time when the meeting broke up when free silver literature was distributed. The men nearly fainted and brought back with them the documents, chief among which was the "Financial Catechism" widely distributed at the Bryan and Sewall headquarters.

Pingree's talk of 2 cent fares may have induced the railroad companies to believe that of the two evils Pingree or Bryan, the latter is the least.

Abraham Lincoln made a good president but Harry L. Gird makes the best pharmaceutical preparations. Have your prescriptions filled there.

WILL HARRISON COME?

He Was Promised If Bryan Came Here.

It is now certain that Benton Harbor is to be honored by a visit from W. J. Bryan.

Some time ago the republican managers in Chicago promised John Trimble of this city that in case Bryan came here the effect of his visit and speech would be offset by a speech from General Harrison. Now, everybody is anxious to hear General Harrison and it is hoped that he will come here. There is no speaker who could draw a larger crowd and no one who could influence more votes.

It would be quite an advertisement for the city to get Bryan and Harrison here in the same campaign.

DATE CHANGED.

Bryan Will Not Be Here Until October 16.

The date for the appearance of William J. Bryan in this city has been changed from October 15 to October 16. The silver men are arranging for a big reception.

BOAT MAY PULL OFF.

Steamer Minnie M. Said To Be Losing Money.

H. D. Dean, vice president of the Benton Harbor Eastern railway and transit company, has issued the following notice to shippers:

The traffic of the steamer Minnie M. has so fallen off recently that it is a serious question of running her much longer, and unless there is sufficient freight to at least pay operating expenses we will consider ourselves free, morally and otherwise, to take her off the route.

It remains with the people to say if they want a competing boat or not. The demoralized Chicago market we know has been a serious barrier, but with better prices now prevailing, that obstacle vanishes, and the people ought to realize their own interests enough to make it possible for the boat to remain, regardless of misrepresentation or shortcomings.

Serious misfortunes have prevented any material progress so far in our railway proposition, but we are not without hope of making some active headway in the near future. At best we will operate the boat at a loss this season, and unless there is an immediate rallying to her aid we will consider our own interests paramount.

Thanking our patrons who have stood *by us through ill report as well as good,* we are confident that another year we will be found in the field, giving the people the earliest market, with the best of service.

ENTHUSIASM AT THREE OAKS.

Hon. E. L. Hamilton Addressed a Large Meeting.

THREE OAKS, Oct. 6.—Hon. E. L. Hamilton spoke here last evening. Niles marching club with band and glee club came down over one hundred strong and all unite in saying that it was the largest political gathering ever held in Three Oaks. The crowd was estimated at 2,000 and we think the estimate was none too high. Breemes' opera house was crowded and an overflow meeting was held in the town hall at which E. A. Blakeslee, of Galien, Representative E. S. Williams of Niles, and others spoke. Nearly all business houses and residences on the line of march were tastefully decorated for the occasion.

New Advertisements.

James Pound announces a cape and jacket opening, Wednesday, Oct. 14.

E. W. Moore & Co. offer bargains in dry goods and groceries.

The Globe Clothiers and Shoers claim to sell more shoes, better shoes and more stylish shoes than any one.

BUTTER DAY.

C. J. Brown Again in Line With Fresh Dairy Butter.

C. J. Brown, the grocer who has a reputation as a first-class butter buyer will give the people a chance to lay in a supply of fine dairy butter, for one day only. On tomorrow he will place on sale several hundred pounds of the best dairy butter at 11 cents a pound. This is not a lot of stale musty stuff but BUTTER got for this especial occasion.

Mr. Brown has decided that he has altogether too many fine lamps of every description and proposes to dispose of his hand-one banquet and parlor lamps at less than their actual cost. A glance in his window will show the high character of these goods.

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HE IS A GREAT ORATOR

Hardin W. Davis Pleased a Large and Enthusiastic Audience Last Night.

A RED HOT SOUND MONEY TALK

Grand Parade and Big Demonstrations Before the Speech in Conkey's Hall.

As the campaign draws nearer to a close and election day approaches the eloquent speakers on both sides of the question are brought before the public and the nearer the election the more eloquent is every speaker.

Perhaps one of the best speeches yet made in this city during the campaign was the logical and patriotic address of Hardin W. Davis delivered in Conkey's hall last night in favor of sound and honest money and protection. Mr. Davis is a man of commanding figure with a voice and delivery of speech which makes him an able orator. He has a flow of language which is wonderful and every gesture is perfect.

Before the speech a torchlight procession of several hundred voters formed at republican headquarters and led by Frazell's band marched around the city and back to Conkey's hall where several hundred persons had assembled.

Mr. Davis gave a very convincing talk on the money question and explained to the people why the election of Bryan would bring disaster and ruin to the country. He said it was not more money we wanted, it was the chance to earn it and that with the election of McKinley the idle men would be put back into the mills which were forced to shut down under the policy of the present administration; wages would advance and the country would again be the greatest in the world.

He gave a clever comparison at the close of his speech by saying that when he was a small boy he was sent to mill with wheat, and upon arriving there the mill was silent, not a wheel was turning and the miller was idle. With much wonderment at the state of affairs he went upstairs in the mill and while there the wheels began to turn and everything was noise and bustle. Hastening to a window in the mill he looked out to find the cause of so much confusion and beheld the old miller slowly raising the lever and the water pouring onto the mill wheel. He asked the miller why he was doing that and *received the reply that he was letting* in the water to run the mill. He asked if the reason the mill was not running was because there was no water, and the miller said, "No, there is plenty of water but it takes wheat to run the mill." "So with our money, there is plenty of it, what we want is the work to get it, and on the morning of November 4 when we look out the window on the dawn of prosperity and behold the old man at the lever we will find when he raises his hat that the miller is Major William McKinley."

Several times during the speech the McKinley and Hobart club of the Benton Harbor college gave their yell and the audience went wild with applause and those who missed hearing Mr. Davis lost a rare treat.

FAIR PLAIN SCHOOL.

The 3d grade will commence drawing this week.

The scholars raised money by subscription and procured paper for examination and map purposes.

Miss Geer of Benton Harbor visited the intermediate department last week.

We have upon our reading table three papers, viz THE EVENING NEWS, Daily Palladium and the Banner Register.

On account of the death of Mr. Phares' father-in-law, Miss Calvin taught the intermediate room Wednesday forenoon, Miss May Richards from the 9th grade taking her place in the primary.

There will be a shadow social at the hall Saturday evening the proceeds to be used for the purchase of a stove for the hall.

R. W. Baker, optician, 135 Lake ave. 318tf

WATERVLIET.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Martin, of Kalamazoo, have been visiting his brother, I. Martin of this place this week....Bert Ketchum will move into Bert Haskell's tenement house....Charles and George Thompson and William Huddleson contemplate a trip up north this year in the deer region....Henry Pratt has his house nearly completed....Mrs. Sarah Hall is having her house repainted....One of our supposed to be able and well thought of silver men was hooted out of Beecraft's hall last Thursday night during the republican speech, for successively creating a disturbance....Walter DeWitt has his new house nearly enclosed....Cyrus Weaver is gaining slowly....Thomas Carmody commenced to teach the winter term of school in Bainbridge district....Charles Rader, telegraph operator at this place for two years, has been transferred to Colomn where he has taken Agent Righter's place.

Apples Wanted.

Bowerman & Russell are buying choice picked apples at the office of C. Godfrey & Co. north side of canal. Highest market price is being paid. 319tf

PERSONAL.

—Mr. and Mrs. N. Holt, of Coloma, are in the city today.

—O. E. Fifield returned this morning from Hamilton.

—Charles Shriver left last night for Joliet on a business trip.

—Mrs. B. Steinbeck, of Berrien Springs, is visiting relatives in this city.

—Mrs. Clarence Wilcox of Charlotte is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Warren.

—Herbert Overton left this afternoon for a few days' visit with friends at Eau Claire.

—Miss Bessie Decker returned yesterday from a month's visit with relatives in Chicago.

—Charles Ingham returned to Chicago last night after a pleasant visit with friends here.

—H. D. Poole and Attorney Ellsworth were among the passengers who went to Chicago last night.

—Mrs. Harry Hoyt returned home yesterday after spending a week with relatives and friends at Plainwell.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vandeburg returned yesterday from a visit with Mrs. Vandeburg's parents in Casco.

—Mrs. George Carley has returned home after several weeks in Chicago where she has been caring for a sick daughter.

—H. D. Dean, of the Benton Harbor Eastern, is in the city to remain until Sunday. Mr. Dean is more hopeful than ever that he will soon be able to commence work on his railroad.

Climbers Have Conquered All of the Alps.

Of course the mystery is gone from the Alps—none but climbers knows how completely. Every mountain and point of view of even third rate importance has been ascended, most by many routes. Almost every gap between two peaks has been traversed as a pass. The publications of some dozen mountaineering societies have recorded these countless expeditions in rows of volumes of appalling length. Of late years vigorous attempts have been made to co-ordinate this mass of material in the form of climbers' guides, dealing with particular districts, wherein every peak and pass is dealt with in strict geographical succession and every different route and all the variations of each route are set forth, with references to the volumes in which they have been described at length by their discoverers. Nearly half the Alps has been treated in this manner, but the work has taken ten years, and of course the whole requires periodical revision.—Sir W. M. Conway in Scribner's.

Why They Wear Hats.

History does not tell, so far as we know, how it came about that members of the English parliament wear their hats. The custom has descended from an age when its proceedings were not recorded, but one may suspect that thereby hangs a tale of sturdy and victorious revolt against privilege, such as broke out at Versailles, could it be recovered. Now and again we find antique allusions to the practice. When the commons voted that every one should "uncover or stir or move his hat" when the speaker expressed the thanks of the house for any service done by a member, Lord Falkland "stretched both his arms out and clasped his hands together on the crown of his hat and held it down close to his head, that all might see how odious that flattery was to him."—Pall Mall Gazette.

A Child's Heart.

Among the bizarre articles offered for sale at the Hotel Drnot, Paris, was a child's heart immersed in a jar of spirits, and, although 97 years had passed since the organ was placed in its transparent receptacle, every portion of it—the right and left auricle and ventricle, and even a portion of the aortic arch—was in a perfect state of preservation. It was catalogued as the heart of Louis XVII, duke of Normandy, and from the documentary evidence which accompanied it there was little doubt as to its authenticity.—Temple Bar.

SALE STILL IN PROGRESS.

Bargains Continue at the Hotel Allmendinger Sale.

The furniture and furnishings sale of everything in the Hotel Allmendinger will continue all the week. Bedroom suits, tables, chairs, pillows, sheets, and in fact everything needed in a house at your own price. Call before the bargains are gone.

At 118 Pipestone street, in the store formerly occupied by the Model shoe store.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair.

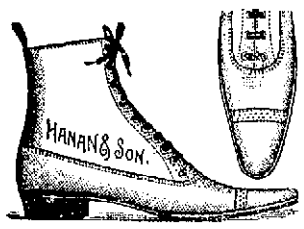
DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

MOST PERFECT MADE.

A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant

40 Years the Standard.

A Word to the Wise



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More Shoes, Better Shoes, More Stylish Shoes

Than any one. We are agents for Hanan & Sons' Men's Shoes, the most popular and best known line in the market, and they are the perfection of art in shoe making. We are also selling Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits and Overcoats, Reefers, Hats, Caps, Gloves and Mittens, and cold weather Underwear. Call and examine our lines. Satisfaction guaranteed. Goods cheerfully exchanged or money refunded.

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113 West Main St....Sign of the Large Globe

Keep Cider Sweet For 15 Cents a Barrel...

Used in all Cider Factories..

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Humphrey's Specifics and Munyon's Remedies at

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All Chicago Daily and Sunday Papers and all magazines and Periodicals for sale at or delivered by

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E. W. MOORE & CO.

Saturday, October 10

Ladies' all wool Mackintoshes at $4.69, worth $6

Amoskeag Ginghams at 4 1-4c a yd.

14 yds. Lonsdale or Fruit of Loom Muslin for $1.

Men's Sanitary ALL WOOL EXTRA HEAVY Shirts or Drawers at 98c, usually sold at $1.25.

See our immense line of Ladies', Gents' and Children's Underwear at prices that defy competition

GROCERIES

23 lbs. Granulated Sugar for $1.00.
Armour's Picnic Hams at 7c a lb.
Armour's Breakfast Bacon at 8c a lb.
Armour's Family Lard at 5c a lb.
10 lbs. Rolled Oats for 25c.

If you wish to save money buy your goods of us for cash.

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See . Here

What the NEW YORK STORE offers in

JACKETS and CAPES

and for the prices they have no equals. You can't appreciate the worth of the garments without seeing them. At the following low prices they will soon go:

24 Ladies' Beaver Jackets,	at	$3.89
24 Ladies' Beaver, half silk lined Jackets,		5.33
18 Ladies' fine quality Boucle Jackets,	at	6.48
12 Ladies' black and blue Beaver, all silk lined Jackets,	at	6.89
Ladies' Beaver Capes, Cooney trimmed,	at	3.69
Ladies' fine Boucle Cape,	at	4.98

The above advertised Lot of Jackets and Capes were purchased at less than manufacturers' cost, hence the saving to you to secure a Cape or Jacket at the extremely low price offered.

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107 Pipestone Street..

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Daily Except Sunday.

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Delivered in Benton Harbor or St. Joseph:

One year	$3 00
One month	25
One week	6

By Mail—One year, $2.50 in advance: one month, 25 cents.

Entered at the postoffice at Benton Harbor as econd class matter.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1896.

If lying and misrepresentation will send a man to shoot then a large exodus of people will be booked for that southern climate during the present campaign.

COLONEL Studebaker of South Bend has issued a circular answer to Bryan and the colonel has wasted one on W. C. Hovey of this city. Mr. Hovey is one of the strongest friends of gold in the city. The answer will be printed in THE EVENING NEWS tomorrow.

WHEN Colonel Bradshaw spoke here for the silver men he gave his object lessons in localities too near home. He said that when he spoke at Grand Ledge that 49 members of the G. A. R. post out of a membership of 68 pledged themselves to Bryan. The commander and adjutant of that post have written a letter to the George H. Thomas post of this city, calling the statement a "deliberate lie." The post has 56 members and three of them were on the platform with Bryan. There were also about twenty more soldiers gathered up in the surrounding townships and given places on the platform.

FORESTALLING THIEVES.

Why Thomas A. Edison Patents Everything He Invents.

As Thomas A. Edison watched the pumping of the air from a glass tube in his laboratory a day or two ago, a man said to him:

"You patent every little thing you discover, don't you, Mr. Edison?"

"I do," said Mr. Edison, "and do you know why I do it?"

"I suppose you do it so you will reap the benefit of your discovery," was the reply.

"I thought you'd say that," said Mr. Edison, "and I don't suppose you will believe me when I tell you it isn't so. Nevertheless, I discover a great many things that I would be glad to give to the public for nothing, but I don't dare. I patent these things to save myself from defending lawsuits. There are a lot of sharks in this world who are continually on the lookout for new things, and when one of them hears of something new he hustles to the patent office to see if it is patented. If it isn't, he claims it as an original discovery and files his claim. Then he will turn right around and, like as not, begin a suit with the man who invented the thing for making or using it. The inventor will say: 'But I discovered this thing first. I am the inventor.' He is referred to the patent office, where he finds the official claim of original invention. The fact that the papers are filed long after he made his discovery does not help him, for all the other man does is to hire a fellow to swear that he made the discovery a month or two prior to the date the inventor claims. It sounds ridiculous, probably, but it is a fact that there are often races between the inventors and the sharks to reach the patent office, the sharks having had early information about the inventor's discovery. There are many such races and thousands of dollars depend on each one. What I say is literally true."—New Ideas.

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You Must Have Friends

In Grand Rapids whom you would like to see. The C. & W. M. R'y offers you an opportunity to do so at small expense on October 13th.

It is predicted that the winter will be long and cold. The only thing that will keep you warm will be a Hot Water Bottle. Harry L. Bird keeps them.

Sterling and Brennan's orchestra is prepared to furnish music for all occasions. Balls, parties and socials at reasonable rates. Inquire 101 Oak street, Benton Harbor. tf

Buy all your candies this winter of Harry L. Bird. His candies are as good as his soda water. Bird always keeps the best.

Smoke Simon Sweeper, the best 5 cent cigar in the city.

How long will you trade where you get impure old drugs? Harry L. Bird's drugs are always fresh and pure.

Grand Rapids Week Day Excursion Oct. 13.

Annual low rate autumn excursion via C. & W. M. R'y to enable everybody to enjoy an afternoon in the city, shopping, visiting friends, theatres, etc. Special train will leave Benton Harbor at 8:25 a. m. and arrive at Grand Rapids at noon. Return trains will leave at 6 and 11 p. m. Round trip rate $1. Bicycles and baby cabs free. GEO. DEHAVEN, G. P. A.

LEGEND OF THE CROSS

WOOD DERIVED FROM THE TREE OF LIFE IN THE GARDEN OF EDEN.

A Story of the Death of Adam and the Crucifixion of Christ Which Was Recited in the Middle Ages—How Seth Got a Glimpse of Paradise.

When Adam was banished from paradise, he lived in penitence, endeavoring to expiate the past by prayer and toil. When he reached a great age and felt death approach, he called Seth to him and said: "Go, my son, to the terrestrial paradise and ask the archangel who keeps the gate to give me a balsam which will save me from death. You will easily find the way, because my footprints scorched the soil as I left paradise. Follow my blackened traces and they will conduct you to the gate whence I was expelled."

Seth hastened to paradise. The way was barren, vegetation was scanty and of somber colors. Over all lay the black prints of his father's and mother's feet. Presently the walls surrounding paradise appeared. Around them nature revived, the earth was covered with verdure and dappled with flowers. The air vibrated with beautiful music. Seth was dazzled with the beauty which surrounded him, and he walked on forgetful of his mission. Suddenly there flashed before him a wavering line of fire upright, like a serpent of light continuously quivering. It was the flaming sword in the hand of the cherub who guarded the gate.

As Seth drew nigh he saw that the angel's wings were expanded so as to block the door. He prostrated himself before the cherub, unable to utter a word. But the heavenly being read in his soul, better than a mortal can read a book, the words which were there impressed, and he said:

"The time of pardon is not yet come. Four thousand years must roll away before the Redeemer shall open the gate to Adam, closed by his disobedience. But as a token of future pardon the wood whereon redemption shall be won shall grow from the tomb of thy father. Behold what he lost by his transgression!"

At these words the angel swung open the great portal of gold and fire and Seth looked in.

He beheld a fountain, clear as crystal, sparkling like silver dust, playing in the midst of the garden, and gushing forth in four living streams. Before this mystic fountain grew a mighty tree, with a trunk of vast bulk and thickly branched, but destitute of bark and foliage. Around the bole was wreathed a frightful serpent or caterpillar, which had scorched the bark and devoured the leaves. Beneath the tree was a precipice. Seth beheld the roots of the tree in hell. There Cain was striving to grasp the roots and clamber up them into paradise, but they laced themselves around the body and limbs of the fratricide as the threads of a spider's web entangle a fly, and the fibers of the tree penetrated the body of Cain as though they were endowed with life. Horror struck at this awful sight Seth raised his eyes to the summit of the tree. There all was changed. The tree had grown till its branches reached heaven. The boughs were covered with leaves, flowers and fruit. But the fairest fruit was a little babe, a living sun, who seemed to be listening to the songs of seven white doves who circled about his head. A woman, more lovely than the moon, bore the child in her arms.

Then the cherub closed the door and said: "I give thee now three seeds taken from that tree. When Adam is dead, place these three seeds in thy father's mouth and bury him."

So Seth took the seeds and returned to his father. Adam was glad to hear what his son told him and praised God.

On the third day after the return of Seth he died. Then his son buried him in the skins of beasts which God had given him for a covering, and his sepulcher was on Golgotha. In course of time three trees grew from the seeds brought from paradise. One was a cedar, another a cypress and the third a pine. They grew with marvelous force, thrusting their branches to right and left. It was with one of these boughs that Moses performed his miracles in Egypt, brought water out of the rock and healed those whom the serpents slew in the desert.

In the time of Solomon this was the noblest of the trees of Lebanon. It surpassed all in the forests of King Hiram as a monarch surpasses those who crouch at his feet. Now, when the son of David erected his palace he cut down this tree to convert it into the main pillar supporting his roof. But all in vain. The column refused to answer the purpose. It was at one time too long, at another too short. Surprised at this resistance, Solomon lowered the walls of his palace to suit the beam, but at once it shot up and pierced the roof, like an arrow driven through a piece of canvas or a bird recovering its liberty. Solomon, enraged, cast the tree over Cedron, that all might trample on it as they crossed the brook.

The queen of Sheba found it there and recognizing its virtue had it raised. Solomon then buried it. Some time after the king dug the pool of Bethesda on the spot. This pond at once acquired miraculous properties and healed the sick who flocked to it. The water owed its virtues to the beam which lay beneath it.

When the time of the crucifixion of Christ drew near, this wood rose to the surface and was brought out of the water. The executioners, when seeking a suitable beam to serve for the cross, found it and of it made the instrument of the death of the Saviour. After the crucifixion it was buried on Calvary, but the mother of Constantine the Great, the Empress Helena, found it deep in the ground with two others. Christ's was distinguished from those of the thieves by a sick woman being cured by touching it.—Baring Gould's "Myths of the Middle Ages."

Teaching Them English.

The simple and effective method of teaching English to the children of Italians, Portuguese, Polish and German Jews used in the north end schools of Boston might profitably be adopted by other cities which are obliged to face the fact that within their borders are thousands of foreign children who know nothing of the customs, institutions or language of this country. A writer in the Boston Transcript thus describes the method:

The children, within a few days after their arrival, are sent to the public schools, as a rule without compulsion, and here they are first of all taught the English language. It is done by a system of object lessons. The teachers in the elementary rooms are young women, as men would not be patient enough to accomplish the best results.

The teacher may point to her eye and say, "This is my eye," repeating it several times and requiring the pupils to repeat it in unison. Other portions of the body are pointed out in a similar manner, and then familiar objects in the room are in the same way brought to the attention of the children.

Later, when they have made sufficient progress in the language, it becomes desirable to teach the different tenses. To accomplish this, a boy or girl is directed to run slowly round the room, when the teacher and children say in unison, "That boy is running," repeating the sentence several times. The boy is then told to halt, and the teacher and pupils say in unison, "That boy did run;" again, "That boy is standing still," "That boy can run," "That boy is walking," "That boy walks fast," "I can walk," "I can run," "I did walk," etc.

These and other sentences, as they are spoken, are written on the blackboard by the teacher, and the pupils write them on their slates. Thus they are taught the language and taught to spell, read and write almost simultaneously.

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Mortgage Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made and executed by Wm. H. Colgrove and Jennie, his wife, to Mary E. Hurd, dated Sept. 15, 1892, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Berrien and State of Michigan, on Oct. 10, 1892, in liber 56 of mortgages on page 267.

There is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this notice, on said mortgage and note accompanying the same, the sum of ninety-two and 40-100 dollars, the same being the accrued interest, and no proceedings at law or equity have been instituted to recover said sum nor any part thereof.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and the Statutes in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on the 22nd day of Dec., 1896, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House in the City of St. Joseph, that being the place where the Circuit Court for Berrien county is holden, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof, as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage, with 8 per cent interest thereon, and all legal costs together with the attorney fee covenanted therefor. Said sale will be made subject to the principal sum of seven hundred and fifty dollars and the interest thereon at 8 per cent from Sept 15, 1895, mentioned in and secured by said mortgage. The land so to be sold are described as follows: Lots four (4) and five (5) in block two (2) in Newland's addition to Benton Harbor, according to the plat thereof, in Benton Harbor, County of Berrien and State of Michigan.

Dated Sept. 10, 1896.

MARY E. HURD, Mortgagee.
A. PLUMMER, Attorney for Mortgagee.

Mortgage Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Eugene L. Guy and Maggie M., his wife, to Amos N. Colby bearing date May 16, 1893, and recorded in the Berrien County Register's office, Michigan, on June 26, 1893, in liber 69 of mortgage on page 119.

On which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of fifty-eight and 15-100, the same being the accrued interest to date and an attorney fee provided for in said mortgage and no proceeding at law or equity have been instituted to recover said sum nor any part thereof.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and the statutes in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 5th day of January, 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the city of St. Joseph, that being the place where the Circuit Court for Berrien County is holden, the premises described in said mortgage or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage with 8 per cent interest, and all legal costs together with an attorney fee covenanted for therein. Said sale will be made subject to the sum of seven hundred dollars, the principal sum secured by said mortgage with interest thereon at 8 per cent from May 16, 1896. The premises so to be sold are described as follows:

Lot eight (8) in McAllister's addition to Benton Harbor, according to the plat thereof, in Benton Harbor, County of Berrien, State of Michigan.

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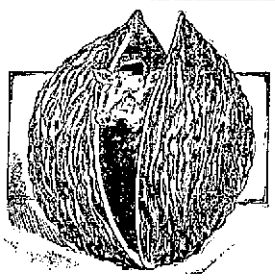

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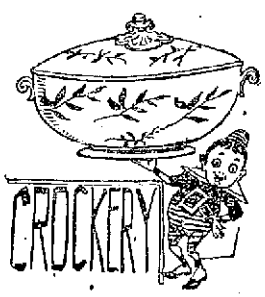

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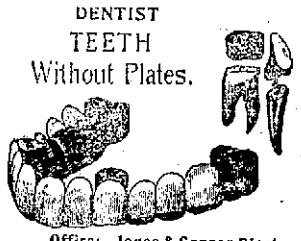

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They Visited Every Dry Goods Store in the City but Found Only One Opportunity.

On Wednesday, every dry goods store in the city was visited by a pair of clever shop-lifters. The exact amount of goods that they succeeded in getting away with is not known. No one has missed anything of very great value excepting W. B. Church. There they made a raise of $40 worth of goods to Mr. Church's knowledge and perhaps some more that has not yet been missed.

Mr. Church first noticed the two women in the store Wednesday morning when their evident business was to size up the goods and make their plans for taking a portion of the same. They made a few minor purchases and went out. They did not return until 5 p. m., while Mr. Church was at supper and the store was in charge of two clerks. One of the women asked to see something that would take the lady clerk in attendance way to the back end of the store. The woman kept the clerk engaged in conversation for some time and then walked back to the front part of the store. The woman's partner had plenty of time to secure the goods and start out of the door. Nothing wrong was suspected by the clerks and the two women departed unmolested.

The loss of the goods was not discovered until later in the evening when a lady came in to get some dress goods that she had selected the day before. Mr. Church went immediately to the pile of dress goods but was unable to find that particular pattern that his customer wished. The store was carefully searched but no trace of it was found. In looking over the pile of dress goods, Mr. Church found that there were also two other bolts missing, one of them the very finest piece of Mohair goods in the store. The value of the three bolts of dress goods was about $40. That is what they cost Mr. Church. The amount of other goods that might have been taken is not known.

Mr. Church and both clerks could identify both women perfectly, as they were not of ordinary appearance. They were both large stout women and both wore long capes, behind which they would have been able to conceal a large amount of goods with perfect ease. It is easy to see how they made away with the three bolts of dress goods without discovery as they were undoubtedly professionals at their business and knew how to avoid detection.

Sheriff Whitcomb has the matter in charge but as yet has not succeeded in locating the women. The matter was suppressed by this paper yesterday upon special request of Mr. Church who then hoped that the thieves might be located.

A LARGE CROWD.

Went to Chicago to Attend the Celebration Today.

A large crowd of Twin City republicans went to Chicago Day McKinley celebration. About 250 men from the Twin Cities including the drum corps and railroad men took passage on the City of Milwaukee last night and will participate in the big parade. They took with them a large banner which read: "Michigan's Twin Cities—St. Joseph and Benton Harbor. Solid for McKinley and Hobart." The local clubs have been given a position in the procession with McKinley club No. 1, of Chicago.

Ladies' McKinley Club.

The ladies' McKinley club, of Buchanan, has 70 members. They are enthusiastic and enter into politics with greater vim than their sturdier husbands and brothers. The officers of the club are: President, Mrs. Daw; vice president, Miss Sarah Farmer; secretary, Miss Georgie Wilcox; treasurer, Miss Daisy Emery; captain, Miss Ada Kingery; first lieutenant, Miss Ada Rough; second lieutenant, Miss Kit Kingery.

Real Estate Transfers.

W. H. Rusch to Wm. J. Momany property in Pipestone township. $800.

August Morelock to Thomas and Mary J. Marsh property in Coloma. $600.

Mary E. Matthews to Frank Edward Gove property in Buchanan. $3,750.

Theodore Vielehr to Frederick Vielehr 40 acres in Hagar township. $1.

Frederick Vielehr to Theodore Vielehr 18 acres in Watervliet township. $1.

Marriage Licenses.

J. Edward Ross, 23, Bainbridge; Maud R. Morrison, 20, same.

All the candidates should run on a Pro Patria platform. It is a winner—the cigar made by Geo. Moebs & Co., Detroit, and sold by all dealers.

Baths at Home.

The sick and well are cordially invited to see and use the Robinson's Thermal bath cabinet. No other bath needed. Can be used in any room at a cost of 5 cents per bath. I have references from good people. Gout and rheumatism positively cured. Louis C. Mudge, 264 Britain avenue. 316tf

Tooth brushes and tooth powder. Buy them of Bird, the Druggist.

AFTER MANY MOONS.

The Board of Public Works Will Hold a Meeting.

The board of public works will meet in its chamber in the city hall this afternoon at 4 o'clock. This will be the first meeting of that body since last spring.

ALARMING.

Is the Spread of Scarlet Fever and Diphtheria at Niles.

Niles Daily Star,

Just now our board of health and all physicians are taking every precaution against the spread of scarlet fever, diphtheria and other dangerous diseases which are prevalent, yet undue carelessness, and criminal negligence on the part of family members who have in charge some patients, is shameful and is summed up that way because of the fact that on different well-known occasions, diseased children have been allowed to run out of doors, causing a spread of the disease, and contrary to the advice of attending physicians. A business man called at the Star office today and said that two children came into his store this morning that had scarlet fever. Dr. W. T. Dougan was perplexed at this state of affairs and intended that an estoppel may be put to such recklessness. Dr. Dougan has written more than one to the prosecuting attorney in regard to the carelessness that is practiced, and no answer has been received. Signs that were posted on some of the houses have been torn down in violation of the law, and it is time to act, so that all citizens may be protected. The present situation is alarming and it behooves all to act promptly.

COUNTERFEITERS.

Their Products Palmed Off on the Street Car Conductors.

The conductors on the St. Joseph & Benton Harbor street car line are eying closely every nickle tendered them these days. Lately they have been taken in by bogus five-cent pieces and their salaries have suffered considerably as a result, it being required of them that they replace the counterfeit coins with the genuine when they report to the company.

The counterfeit nickles appear with such remarkable regularity that the street car men are inclined to the belief that they are manufactured in this vicinity. The coins are a rude reproduction of the genuine and can easily be detected. They are much lighter in weight and all bear the date of 1895. The metal entering into their composition is soft and offers but slight resistence to the keen edge of a knife.

ODDS AND ENDS.

"Bill" Murray, the popular Vandalia conductor is lightening on politics. He is a republican and don't care who knows it. Many a tilt has he had with Hon. Jim O'Hara and never fails to hold his own.

"Bill" had a crowd around him in the cigar store the other day when he said, "Although you may not believe it, I once read in the book of Isaiah how the lion and the lamb shall lie down together and a little child shall lead them.' Now I never thought that it would come to pass in just that way and I somehow thought that Isaiah has missed his guess. But I have since learned that Isaiah knew what he was talking about. To think that after all these ages it should come to pass. When I came up to St. Joe on the last trip and found Jim O'Hara, a pronounced Roman catholic and John Starr, the ring-leader of the A. P. A.'s in the same bed, I said to myself, 'Isaiah you were a smart man, the millenium has indeed arrived.'"

FOR FIVE YEARS

Mr. and Mrs. Prater Have Not Spoken to Each Other.

NILES, Oct. 9.—Wyatt Prater sues for a divorce from his wife who, he charges, used a rawhide upon him. The couple for five years have not spoken to each other. Mrs. Prater brings counter charges against Prater.

Hopeless.

The young man who was sitting straight up on his wheel drew alongside a man who was riding with a hump on his back.

"Roads are fine this morning," he observed.

"I've seen better," briefly answered the other.

"Of course. But I mean they are good considering that it rained day before yesterday."

"H'mph!"

"Ever try one of these pneumatic saddles?"

"One of whose pneumatic saddles?"

"Anybody's."

"No."

"What do you think is the proper gear for a 22 pound roadster machine?"

"Haven't any idea."

"That's a mighty fine wheel you're riding, anyhow."

"On the contrary, it's the poorest machine I ever saw. I'm going to trade it off and get a better one."

The young man gave it up and fell back.—Chicago Tribune.

A Mild Request.

Fair patient—Is there no way of telling exactly what is the matter with me?

Dr. Ender—Only a post mortem examination would reveal that.

Fair Patient—Then, for heaven's sake, make one. I don't see why I should be squeamish at such a time as this.—Pick Me Up.

LOVE WAS VICTORIOUS

An Escanaba Couple Baffled Their Relatives and Were Married.

WAS A ROMANTIC WEDDING.

Groom Dressed in Female Attire and With the Help of Friends Eloped With His Sweetheart.

ESCANABA, Oct. 9.—Samuel Eby and Helen Powers loved each other madly, and everything would have been perfectly lovely if the bride's parents had not given the romance a cold October frost. One night last week Sam had everything ready for an elopement to Marinette, but the train was late, and two brawny uncles, after a fierce fight, succeeded in taking both home to mamma and papa. But Sam wasn't baffled even then. He enlisted the help of several friends on bicycles, who led the uncles many wild goose chases till the young lady could escape from the house. Meanwhile Eby had donned female attire and, without detection, drove the young lady to Marinette, where the couple were married. Eby is a young man of excellent habits.

Many Bridges Destroyed.

ONTONAGON, Oct. 9.—Forest fires have been raging fiercer than ever before. There has been no rain in over three weeks. Toward Rockland the road is impassible. Much farm property has been destroyed. All the bridges over Union river are burned, also the Iron river bridge, and nearly all of the 20 bridges between Camp Union and Ontonagon.

Work of Vandals.

ST. JOHNS, Oct. 9.—Burglars last evening broke into the residence of R. M. Steel, the embarrassed capitalist, and stole two valuable gold watches and two overcoats belonging to Mr. Steel and his son, George A. Steel. They also spit tobacco juice over the carpets and furniture.

They Are Doomed.

MT. CLEMENS, Oct. 9.—The time-honored church social is doomed, at least in the M. E. church of this city. Rev. G. N. Kennedy has prevailed upon the church to discontinue all social entertainments and shows held for the purpose of raising parish funds.

Big Elk Park.

PONTIAC, Oct. 9.—Some months ago Joshua Hill purchased 300 acres of land three miles from here, surrounded the entire tract with a woven wire fence eight feet high and stocked it with 17 young elks imported from Wyoming at a cost of $100 each. The herd has increased to 28 head, and the owner is so encouraged that he is looking for some buffalo and bears.

Runaway Girls.

ANN ARBOR, Oct. 9.—An Adrian widow came here after her 17-year-old daughter, and took her home. It transpires that the girl and a companion came here on the invitation of two students, who kept them at a hotel under fictitious names. The students paid all expenses.

Constipation

Causes fully half the sickness in the world. It retains the digested food too long in the bowels and produces biliousness, torpid liver, indigestion, bad taste, coated tongue, sick headache, insomnia, etc. Hood's Pills cure constipation and all its results, easily and thoroughly. 25c. All druggists. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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Prof. Lacy's School For Dancing.

Conkey's hall, class next Wednesday evening, October 14, at 8 o'clock. After above date class will be held every Tuesday evening. Those wishing to make arrangements for lessons would be pleased to have them do so before class opens. 317tf

Cider made from sound apples 5c per gal. Custom work solicited. We grind every day. Corner of Fair and Britain avenues, near old fair grounds. Ben. R Eastman. 311t9

Yesterday the steamer City of Chicago came in laden with a fresh supply of candies for Harry L. Bird. He always keeps his line of chocolates absolutely fresh. Harry L. Bird always keeps the best.

Do you believe it? Yes I do. That Hollis & Son, the jewelers, are selling a gent's 20 year warranted Hoss Gold filled hunting case and a fine 15 jewel Elgin movements for $18.50. Ladie's size same as above $15.25. All other goods at same reduced rates. We are bound to lead, let others follow. A ticket with every purchase on an 8 tune music box. Fine watch works a specialty. All work warranted. 312t26

Wanted.

Customers for corn, corn fodder, potatoes and apples. If you want good potatoes or apples for winter use put in your cellar at hard time prices, we've got 'em. Will sell our corn in the ear or shock. Inquire or leave your orders at the office, West Michigan Nurseries, 155 Pipestone street or O. C. Howe, Eau Claire. 316tf

Butterfly Social.

The Ladies Aid society of the Universalist church will give a "Butterfly" social at the residence of Mrs. F. J. Soule, 115 Heck Court, near Pipestone street, Friday evening, October 9. The public invited. 314t5

It may do to buy shoddy clothes, shoddy shoes, and cheap groceries, but when it comes to drugs don't sacrifice quality to price but go to Bird's and get a pure article.

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PIONEER COMMANDERY, NO. 538, UNITED Order of the Golden Cross. Meetings the first and third Tuesday evening of every month in Woodman hall, visiting members welcome.
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LOST—BETWEEN PLEASANT AND Pearl street by way of Broadway and Bellview, small purse containing five paper dollars and some small change. Return to O. E. Jennings, Sweet's hardware. 317t6

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FOR SALE—TWO HEATING STOVES. INquire at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. 305tf

FOR RENT—THE BUILDING ON MICHIgan street, now occupied by the S. E. Burnham Bicycle Co. Inquire of Mrs. J. A. Graham. 317tf

FOR RENT—FOUR OFFICE ROOMS OVER Sheffield's drug store after Oct. 8. Inquire at the store. 39tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—LARGE 17 ROOM modern house, corner Second and Miller streets, for sale on easy terms or will rent to the right people. S. M. AUSTIN. 281tf

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Harry L. Bird says that he has all the best cooks in the two cities using his Extract of Vanilla and he knows what he is talking about. Bird's preparations are always right.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

THE city council will meet next Monday night.

LAST year at this time there was good bathing at St. Joseph.

TOMORROW THE EVENING NEWS will be enlarged to its usual size.

THE case of Branson vs Berry is being heard before Circuit Court Commissioner Kennedy this afternoon.

THE Niles Star makes fun of the idea that Chester Aldrich proposes to have Editor Cook arrested for criminal libel.

THE Order of Patricians will hold a meeting this evening in the Modern Woodmen hall. All members are requested to be present.

GEORGE Anderson, the hardware man, sold one of his "Wonder" stoves to a resident of Baroda today. His customer saw his ad in the NEWS.

FRANK Lyle, the leading democrat of Dowagiac, has organized a democratic sound money club and he gets a good roasting from the local democratic paper for doing it.

ALL members of the Womans' Republican club will meet in the council chamber of the city hall on Saturday afternoon. Come and bring a friend. Music by the ladies' quartette.

THERE will be a meeting of the Primary Union tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Baptist church. All persons interested in primary work are most earnestly invited.

MR. Frazell, the leader and instructor of the new military band organized here, which, by the way, is a credit to a city five times as large as this, will play a clarinet solo in the Universalist church next Sunday morning.

MRS. E. W. Snodgrass is enlarging life sized crayon portraits of John Hoffman and William Mitten, who lost their lives in the opera house fire. The Morton Hose company are having them made to hang in their hose house.

THE Benton Harbor Epworth league will give a reception to Rev. W. P. French at the M. E. church this evening. The reception will be followed by a program rendered by members of the Twin City league assisted by the Misses Graves and George.

ALDERMAN Ferguson and Alderman McDonald are very much alarmed at the condition affairs are coming to. Ferguson is afraid that after November 3 he will have to keep his worthy brother alderman in a cell in the county jail while waiting for room in the insane asylum at Kalamazoo, while McDonald is figuring how he can charge Ferguson a commission on his sheriffs' salary when he gets to be county treasurer and has to pay him off every month.

TUNE OF "NELLIE GRAY."

An Eau Claire Woman Writes a Campaign Song.

Mrs. Estella N. Tustison, wife of a republican soldier in Eau Claire who will vote for Bryan, has written the following campaign song to the tune of "Nellie Gray," and the same was sung at a free silver meeting in that village this week:

There's a little man, McKinley, and he's talking
loud and long,
And blowing his tin whistle with his might.
The tariff and protection is his story and his
song,
But he leaves the money question out of sight.

CHORUS.

Then, oh! my charming Bill, talk of tariff if you
will,
But one thing you'd better learn while yet you
may.
That tariff and protection isn't "in it" this campaign.
Our money is the issue of the day.

In ninety-two he told us money would be scarce
and dear
If silver's money power was destroyed;
But now he's changed his tactics, and he talks
the other way;
But thinking men are not to be decoyed.

He talks of national honor and gives lots of
cant.
And quotes to us what other nations do;
But we'll show our independence when it comes
the time to vote,
And we'll stand for home and land both firm
and true.

Then hurrah for Bryan and silver. We've home
interests in view.
And from England's yoke we ever will be free.
America for Americans shall be our watchword
true,
And 'twill help our cause along to victory.

A Slight Difference.

"As I understand it, doctor, if I believe I'm well, I'll be well. Is that the idea?"

"It is."

"Then, if you believe you're paid, I suppose you'll be paid."

"Not necessarily."

"But why shouldn't faith work as well in one case as in the other?"

"Well, you see, there is considerable difference between having faith in the Almighty and having faith in you."—Chicago Post.

A Bold Front.

Guest (in a loud voice)—I want the best room in the house—

Hotel Clerk—Yes, sir. Front!

Guest (continuing, sotto voce)—That you can let me have for $1 a day. Some of my customers are standing near, and I've got to keep up appearances, you know.—Philadelphia North American.

To make croutons, or fried bread, for soups cut bread into slices a quarter of an inch thick, remove the crust and cut the bread into cubes and fry them in smoking hot melted butter until they are crisp and golden brown in color.

HEADACHES CURED. Tecumseh, Mich., Sept. 27, 1895.—I have taken three bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla for sick headaches and have not had a headache since that time. Before taking Hood's Sarsaparilla I was troubled with indigestion, but it has helped this trouble also. My husband has taken it for kidney trouble and loss of appetite and it has done him good, and we both think very highly of Hood's Sarsaparilla." Mrs. Lewis Emerson.

Hood's Pills cure all liver ills.

"Now good digestion wait on appetite, and health on both." Use Washburns Gold Medal flour—all good grocers sell it. 156tf

Who will be the lucky one to guess the number on the baby puzzle at Poundstone's, 312tf

LUCIEN BONAPARTE'S SONS.

They Were an Energetic Lot, but Had Few Other Good Qualities.

Prince Lucien Bonaparte was the best of the four sons of Lucien I. The others made the states of the church too hot to hold them. All had impetuous, masterful tempers and literary and archaeological tastes. In different ways each contrived to bleed the late emperor of money. They were brought up at Muignano among the Etrurian remains which their father disentombed during more than 20 years, to the enrichment of most of the great museums of Europe.

Pierre and Antoine lived like banditti, carrying off women and shooting the men who went to stop or came to arrest them. Pierre fired his final shot at Victor Noir, at Auteuil, and killed him. The eldest, whom I remember as Prince of Musignano, was married to a daughter of his uncle Joseph. He revolted against the pope, was president of the Roman constituent, and such a violent domestic tyrant that his wife ran away to Paris to supplicate the emperor to protect her and her son—the future cardinal.

The Prince of Musignano met this by threatening to publish certain papers of the first Lucien proving over and over again the dishonor of Josephine and Hortense. Louis Napoleon bought these documents at his cousin's price. The death of the wife, Zennide, put an end to the feud. The late Prince Lucien, who obtained a civil list pension of £250 a year—about the fourth of the entire fund—figured in Paris during the second republic as an ultra Liberal. He played this card until he got a large sum of money and a senatorship. This post was honorary, as he had to live out of France.

Antoine, the youngest of the four brothers, led a charmed life. His life was spared by the pope at the supplication of Lady Dudley Stuart and her mother. The papal government banished him, and he went to Greece, where he got into another serious scrape. In New York he had the narrowest escape of being lynched for forgetting that he was not at Musignano. Thence he went to Mexico and Panama, with a scheme in his head that he and Louis had talked over at Bordentown for making an interoceanic canal. He laid the egg at Columbia (?) which his cousin Lucien Wyse and De Lesseps hatched 15 years ago. Thus, had the man sent to arrest Antoine shot, instead of being shot by, him, the Panama bubble would not have been inflated in our time.—Paris Letter in London Truth.

Three Flyers for the balance of the week, No. 16 and No. 22 all Silk Satin and Gross Grain Ribbons at 15c.; No. 9 and No. 12 at 10c.; No. 5 and No. 7 at 5c. at the Chicago Bargain store.

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For Governor—Charles R. Sligh, of Grand Rapids.
For Lieutenant Governor—Justin R. Whiting, of St. Clair.
For Secretary of State—(To be selected later.)
For State Treasurer—Otto K. Karste, of Ironwood.
For Auditor General—Arthur E. Cole, of Fowlerville.
For Commissioner of State Land Office—Marzin G. Loennecker, of Jackson.
For Superintendent of Public Instruction—David E. Huskins, of Hillsdale.
For Member of State Board of Education—Franklin S. Dowey, of Alpena.
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CONGRESSIONAL.

For Representative to Congress, Fourth District—R. I. Jarvis, of Benton Harbor.

LEGISLATIVE.

For Senator, Seventh District—Wm. A. Baker, Coloma.
Legislature—First District, Berrien county—John V. Starr, St. Joseph.

COUNTY TICKET.

Judge of Probate—Allison C. Roe.
Sheriff—Alexander Halliday.
Clerk—George Henry Murdoch, Jr.
Treasurer—James McDonald.
Register—John Dwan.
Prosecuting Attorney—Theodore G. Beaver.
Circuit Court Commissioner—David Bacon.
Circuit Court Commissioner—Wm. C. Hicks.
Surveyor—Albert Lookout Drew.
Coroner—Henry C. Beswick.
Coroner—Theodore N. Perry.

MEETINGS

JUDGE J. W. KERR, of Colorado:

		Allegan,	Evening, Oct. 9
		Hastings,	Evening, Oct. 10
		Plainwell,	Evening, Oct. 12

COL. J. H. ROBERTS, of Illinois:—Berrien Springs, evening, Oct. 12; Buchanan, evening, Oct. 13; Watervliet, evening, Oct. 14.

HON. JOHN STARR:

Riverside,	Evening, Oct. 10	Bainbridge Center,	Evening, Oct. 12.

R. I. JARVIS—Candidate for Congress, will speak as follows:

		White Pigeon,	Afternoon, Oct. 9
		Centreville,	Evening, Oct. 9
		Middleville,	Evening, Oct. 10
		Watervliet,	Evening, Oct. 17

E. E. JARVIS:

Cedar Creek,	Afternoon, Oct. 9	Hickory Corners,	Evening, Oct. 9
		Arden,	Afternoon, Oct. 10
		St. Joseph Township Hall, Evening Oct. 10.	
		Eau Claire,	Afternoon, Oct. 13

BARBECUE AT NILES

There will be a grand barbecue at Niles on the afternoon of October 13, when a roast ox will be served and a general rally day of the county will be held. Hon. T. H. Patterson, an eloquent Nebraska orator, will speak.

Mr. Patterson will speak at Conkey's hall, Benton Harbor, the evening of the same day.

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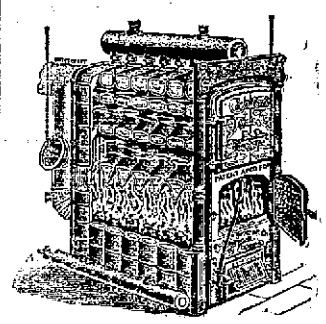

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